

Being a column in which the publisher just "blows off the steam."

By Willard Jones

J. A. HILL, former long time resident of the Hamlin community, writes from Long Beach, California, renewing his subscription to Your Home Town Paper.

"I want to keep up with my home town, as I understand it is growing nicely," he writes.

WORDS OF THE WISE are often the means of new inspiration and encouragement. So we reproduce a few collected here and there recently:

The wisdom of the wise and the experience of ages may be preserved by quotation.—Disraeli.

Don't mistake pleasure for happiness. They are a different breed of dogs.—Josh Billings.

Two persons cannot long be friends if they cannot forgive each other's little failings.—Boswell.

Mere words are cheap and plenty enough, but ideas that rouse and set multitudes thinking come as gold from the mines.—A. Owen Penny.

Countries are well cultivated, not as they are fertile, but as they are free.—Montesquieu.

The empires of the future are the empires of the mind.—Winston Churchill.

From the little spark may burst a mighty flame.—Dante.

HORACE BROWN has become one of the town's best snappers, and his associates at school aver. And, first thing you know, the Liquor Control Board may be offering him a job.

When it developed several days ago that an odor in the storeroom of the Hamlin Elementary School cafeteria reeked of something akin to a brewery, Brown, who works at the cafeteria, was assigned to the job to investigate.

After snooping and sniffing for some time he found that some canned tomato puree had fermented in a can and burst the container, sending the odor throughout the food storage room.

Brown declares that, after several hours of airing, he has the storeroom smelling like a storeroom should again.

Phew-wee on the puree!

ANOTHER BATCH of material is being lifted from the interesting column written by Foxtail Johnson in the Texas Sheep and Goat Raiser Magazine, printed at San Angelo:

Population of our community graveyard is sure buildin' up, and the seminary society is offerin' a fancy prize to the thousandth person to get buried there. My wife says she sure hopes I win it.

Found a 1942 dollar and a 1922 dollar watch in some old pants today. One's about as useful for buyin' things as the other is for tellin' time.

Mallinkoff lost out 'cause he could not solve the farm problem. Sure different over here, where everybody solves the farm problem three times a week.

Only chance I ever had to make money was to work for it, and of course, I'm above that sort of thing.

No wonder Ike goes off and plays golf with Republicans. The Democrats won't play ball with him.

DONALD WELLMAN, who Sunday is scheduled to deliver his final sermon as pastor of the Hamlin Church of the Nazarene, before he spoke at the Tuesday noon luncheon of the Hamlin Lions Club, related the story about a mediocre golfer who bantered a golf professional to betting on a game.

After beginning with a \$1 a hole wager, the mediocre golfer finally raised the ante to \$10 a hole with a little badgering, even against the advice of the pro who admitted he shot a mighty good game.

"It's a deal," said the golfer, "if you'll give me a look-out at each tee." The pro readily agreed. Then, just as the pro started to tee off, the MG would yell at the top of his voice, "Look out!" The pro probably lost, Wellman concluded.

AUSTIN SIBURT, not to be out-golfed by his fellow minister, told of the dentist golfer, who on leaving for the golf course one afternoon, told his office girl that he had an important appointment.

"I've got to go out in the country to fill 18 cavities this afternoon," he informed the girl.



GUARDING AGAINST INTEGRATION—A group of townspeople (left) keep watch at the edge of the school yard at Mansfield as white students enter the building in the background to register for the school term. On flag pole at right is a negro effigy found hanging, the second one in the past two days, as people in the area protest a federal court order to admit negroes into white classes.

Winter Wheat Growers May Put Acreage in Soil Reserve

Deadline Set for September 21 for Farmer Sign-Up

Wheat acreage reserve program is available to "old" wheat growers of the Hamlin area and elsewhere. The Herald is advised this week in a release from the Texas Agricultural Stabilization and Conservation Committee.

Any producer who has a regular wheat acreage allotment may take part in the soil bank's acreage program for the 1957 winter wheat crop. Robert Shrauner, chairman of the Texas ASC committee, declared. Producers on farms which receive an allotment as a "new farm" for the 1957 wheat crop, however, are not eligible for participation in the 1957 acreage reserve program.

Payments under the program will be made for reducing the acreage of winter wheat below the amount of the allotment, designating in a written agreement a specified part of the allotment acreage as acreage to be "reserved" from production. Land so designated may not be cropped or grazed for the period of the agreement.

Rate of payment for wheat acreage placed in the acreage reserve varies by counties. The amount of the payment will be based on the normal yield for the farm or the normal yield for the designated acreage, whichever is the smaller.

The acreage reserve agreement must be signed not only by the farm operator, but also—if the operator is a share tenant—by each person who as owner or landlord has control of the acreage reserve land or who is to receive compensation under the agreement. Provision is made for properly protecting the interests of tenants and share-croppers under the program.

If any winter wheat is grown on the farm this fall, September 21 is the deadline for signing agreements to place 1947 crop wheat acreage allotment under the soil bank's acreage reserve.

Tommy Carpenter Turns Game Hunter

Tommy Carpenter, son of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Carpenter of Hamlin, has turned big game hunter. At least that is what one would gather, judging by a picture which Tommy has sent his parents, showing Tommy beside skins of two mountain lions which he recently bagged on a hunting expedition in Bolivia, South America.

Young Carpenter is employed by the United Geophysical Company in exploration work in South America. His present headquarters are at La Paz, Bolivia. The hunt was near Carandayti, about 70 miles southeast of La Paz.



LEAVING next week for Oklahoma City, where he has accepted the pastorate of Trinity Church of the Nazarene is Rev. Donald M. Wellman (above), who has been pastor of the Hamlin Church of the Nazarene since June, 1955.

Donald Wellman Accepts Pastorate in Oklahoma City

Rev. Donald M. Wellman, pastor of the Hamlin Church of the Nazarene for 15 months, last week resigned the pastorate effective next Sunday, September 9. He announced he had accepted the pastorate of the Trinity Church of the Nazarene in Oklahoma City and will report to that church next week.

Rev. Wellman came to the Hamlin Church in June, 1955, following Rev. Howard M. Smith. He and his wife have done a fine work during their ministry, declared leaders of the congregation. The church membership has increased from 64 to 110, and attendance at services has increased accordingly. Finances of the church have increased about 60 per cent. A new educational building has been erected at the rear of the church auditorium at the corner of Southwest First Street and Avenue D.

The church has named William Hanna, 27-year-old native of Texas, to succeed Wellman. He will move to Hamlin about October 1. A more complete story on Hanna will be carried in a later issue of The Herald.

Mmes. Madden and Nix Buy Flower Shop

Consummation of a deal made last week put two new owners in charge of the Hamlin Flower Shop. Mmes. Hollis Madden and Truman Nix purchased the interest of Mrs. Minnie Day, who has operated the shop for the past five years.

Mrs. Nix, wife of the football coach of Hamlin High School, is an experienced florist, having operated a shop at Andrews before moving to Hamlin. Mrs. Madden plans to soon attend a florists' clinic to learn techniques of the business.

Enrollments Hit Total of 1,018 in Hamlin Schools

Enrollment on the first day of school Tuesday totaled 1,018 students in the Hamlin school system according to tabulations made by Superintendent C. F. Cook. Still further increases are expected as the new term progresses, the superintendent says.

Enrollment by grades follows: First, 91; second, 76; third, 90; fourth, 82; fifth, 79; sixth, 67; seventh, 77; eighth, 68; ninth, 64; tenth, 69; eleventh, 47; twelfth, 52; and DePriest Colored School enrollment totaled 156.

Superintendent Cook reports that a fine spirit by the students was manifested through the school on the opening day, and he predicts a very successful term.

Cook repeats his expressed desire to have the cooperation of all the parents of the community. He welcome counsel and constructive advice about the problems of the school and about any student problem, he says.

Dan Rimmer Downs Bobcat Near Hamlin

What was intended to be a stroll through the pasture where a rabbit might be sighted by Dan Rimmer Monday turned out to be a new hunting experience, when the 16-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. L. D. Rimmer.

The lad, hunting in a pasture near the Rimmer home, two miles north of town, flushed a bobcat and downed him with his 22-rifle. The beautiful animal weighed about 40 pounds.



of a committee requested to recount voting machine totals in Corpus Christi, checks this machine total with the help of District Judge Cullen Briggs and County Court at Law Judge Philip Schraub who are officiating in the recount. The request was made by Senator W. H. Sherman, who lost the 20th District Senate race to Bruce Reagan by 321 votes. The five-man committee will have to check 142 machines in widely spaced precincts.

John Lea Resigns City Engineer Job For Army Place

John L. Lea, city coordinator and engineer, last week-end resigned his position, effective September 15, city officials announced this week.

Lea told a Herald reporter that he had been offered and had accepted a more lucrative position with the Army Engineering Corps and that he would be stationed at the regional office of that government organization at Albuquerque, New Mexico. He will report for duty at Albuquerque on September 17.

Lea came to Hamlin February 1 to accept his first municipal engineering position. He succeeded Roy Dunlap, who had been the city's first full time engineer.

During Lea's tenure the present city hall was purchased and remodeled under his supervision, including the installation of jail facilities. He has also supervised a revised curb and gutter program sponsored by the city following purchase of steel forms and other equipment by the city for the continuation of a projected city water drainage program started two years ago.

Several members of the City Council expressed regret to The Herald over Lea's resignation. No official meeting of the group has been held since the resignation.

Rigdon Edwards to Speak Monday Eve To Methodist Men

Rigdon Edwards, popular Methodist layman of Sweetwater, will be the Methodist Men's speaker at the First Methodist Church Monday evening at 7:30 p. m., announce leaders of the men's group.

Edwards is a graduate of McMurry College, and is Magnolia products dealer in Sweetwater. He has held the following offices: Past president of West Texas Manufacturing Association, past president of Sweetwater Rotary Club, past district governor of the 183rd District of Rotary International. He has held several civic responsibilities as well as church offices.

Everyone is invited to come and hear this church, community and civic leader, declares Carl Murrell, president of the Methodist Men of the First Methodist Church.

RAIN-MAKING TALK

Various aspects of rain-making will be discussed frankly and objectively by a representative of the U. S. Weather Bureau during the second "Water for Texas Conference" to be held at Texas A. & M. College September 17-19.



Harold Lee Williams, teacher of science and social studies in Hamlin High School for several years, received the master of education degree in commencement exercises Friday, August 24, at East Texas State Teachers College at Commerce, according to a release to The Herald from the school. Williams' major subject was education.

Ground Observers to Be Organized in Area



HAMLIN YOUNG MAN BAGS BIG GAME—Tommy Carpenter, son of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Carpenter, is shown above beside the skins of two mountain lions which he recently bagged on a hunt in Bolivia, South America. Young Carpenter is employed with a geophysical company in that South American country doing oil exploration work. He shot the lions on a recent hunting expedition to Carandayti, about 70 miles southeast of the Bolivian capital of La Paz.

State Convention To Decide Winner

Voters of the Hamlin area are eyeing with interest next Monday's Texas state Democratic convention, to be held at Fort Worth, and several Democratic leaders of Jones County are expected to attend the festivities.

The convention will declare the winner of the governor's race, and high courts of the state have indicated they will accept the decision of the convention as official, despite charges of election errors.

The complete but unofficial Texas Election Bureau tabulation gives Senator Price Daniel 698,125 vote to Ralph Yarborough's 694,578.

Incidentally, Jones County voters, along with most of West Texas, gave Yarborough a majority in the August 25 run-off election.

Daniel's lead of 3,547 votes out of 1,392,703 cast amounted to a margin of one out of about every 400 votes, an improvement from the next-to-last tabulation. It was a formidable lead, even though the second closest in Texas gubernatorial history, because the TEB ran a recheck of its final figures before announcing it.

Until the August 25 voting the closest governor's race had been in 1932, when Miriam (Ma) Ferguson defeated Ross Sterling by 3,798 votes.

LABOR DAY VISITORS

Visiting in the homes of Mrs. Etta Band, Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Steele and other relatives in the community over the Labor Day week-end were Mrs. J. M. Steele, Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Steele and Mr. and Mrs. Keith Coaver, all of Fort Worth.

Drouth Cannot Be Blamed on Cycles of Weather State Scientists After Study

While all sorts of reasons and possibilities for lack of rainfall have been heard by Hamlin area people during the past six years of sparse rainfall, they are assured by Extension Service officials that predictions of rainfall cannot be made on the basis of weather cycles of "wet and dry years."

Recent studies of 31 locations in the High and Rolling Plains of Texas show that cycles play little or no part in annual rainfall figures dating as far back as 89 years.

Drs. R. J. Hildreth and Gerald W. Thomas of the Texas Agricultural Experiment Station, who made the studies, state that an optimist can find traces of cycles at some locations, but no statistical significance of cycles is revealed in the records.

"Average or normal rainfall seldom occurs," Dr. Hildreth said. "The records indicate that farmers and ranchers in the High and Rolling Plains should figure that more years—52 to 69 per cent—will be below average in rainfall than years above average."

Prolonged drouths have occurred on the High and Rolling Plains at least two or three times during the period weather records are available. The famous drouth of the 1930s, which led to the dust bowl period, shows up in records at most locations. Another bad drouth period occurred around 1917. At most locations the re-

Importance of Unit Stressed as Enemy Grows

Hamlin unit of the Ground Observer Corps is scheduled to be organized soon under auspices of the Hamlin Volunteer Fire Department, it was announced this week by officials of the volunteer firemen group.

A pre-organizational meeting has been scheduled for this (Thursday) evening at the fire station, according to James Josey, who has been named local coordinator by regional headquarters of the GOC at Dallas. Josey declares that this section of the country is the only remaining region that has not been organized, and national GOC officials have set a December 1 deadline for perfection of the organization.

The Ground Observer Corps is a civilian plane spotting organization which works with government sponsored Civilian Defense Organization in keeping posted on possible movements of enemy airplanes for defense purposes. At least line areas have had GOC organizations for several months.

The public is invited to attend Thursday evening's meeting, when Staff Sergeant Alfred Burkhalter of the Air Defense Command of Abilene will outline plans for the organization. The meeting is set to begin at 7:30 o'clock.

Service in the GOC will require not more than two hours' time per month, Josey points out. He has emphasized the urgency of the movement on the local and statewide scale by citing the growing strength of Soviet air power, which could strike death-dealing blows at any moment.

Many from Section to Attend Shrine Circus

Scores of Hamlin area people are scheduled to be among those present for the afternoon and evening performances of the Shrine Circus today (Thursday) at Stamford. Show times are 3:00 and 8:00 p. m.

Advance ticket sales have been conducted by Hamlin Shriners and others, many merchants purchasing tickets for school children.

The circus will feature famous circus stars and animals in 50 acts in a two and one-half hour performance at both shows.

Who's New This Week

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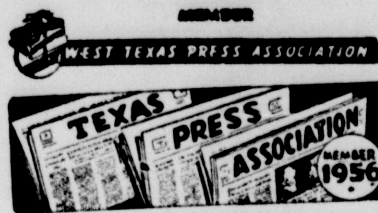
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TWENTY YEARS AGO.

News notes of interest in the Hamlin community 20 years ago included the following, reprinted from the issue of The Hamlin Herald dated September 4, 1936:

After 20 years in the old brick building now as the city hall, the offices of the City of Hamlin were this week moved to the Walker building on Central Avenue, formerly occupied by the City Grocery.

Mrs. Myrl Preston attended a beauty style show at San Angelo last week.

Maxine Mayo has returned to her home at Las Vegas, New Mexico, after spending the summer with her uncle, W. S. Graham, and family.

The four girls in Hamlin had ginned 465 bales of cotton up to Wednesday of this week, a good record for this time of year.

Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Day of Rotan are moving to Hamlin. Day will be associated with his brother, John T. Day, in the loan business.

Prices in the Joe A. Simpson Grocery ad include: Good steak, 10 cents pound; apples, two for five cents; Chase & Sanborn coffee, one-pound can, 25 cents; baked fruit pies, five cents each.

H. A. Longino is the new pastor of the First Methodist Church.

TEN YEARS AGO.

Among goings-on in the Hamlin community 10 years ago were the following, as recorded in the issue of The Hamlin Herald dated September 6, 1946:

The government over the weekend cancelled its order requiring "dark" bread and flour, a ruling that had been made during the war crisis.

Most Hamlin business firms will remain open on Labor Day, a survey this week by The Herald reveals.

H. L. (Harold) Williams has been named high school principal by the school board in recent action.

Rains Last Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday in the Hamlin sector measured more than two inches. Rainfall for the year now totals 8.21, a little more than half the average.

Enrollment of more than 1,100 students in the Hamlin Schools is expected this year, according to I. R. Hutchinson, superintendent. He said 1,107 students had been enumerated in the recent census of the district.

Joan Culbertson, bride-elect of Edward Boaz, was honored at a breakfast shower in the country home of Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Butcher Wednesday morning at 9:00 o'clock.

FIVE YEARS AGO.

Among happenings of the Hamlin community five years ago were the following, reproduced in brief from the issue of The Hamlin Herald dated September 7, 1951:

Gean and Dean Witt, Jack Russell and Brad Rowland Sr. have become members of the Abilene Football Officials Association and will help officiate West Central Texas high school games this fall.

Prewitt Motor Company, local Chrysler-Plymouth dealer, will construct a new building to house the agency at the corner of Southeast Avenue A and First Street.

Rains first of the week measured 5.81 inches, according to the government gauge maintained by Bill Rountree at the city pump station. These were the best rains that have fallen in the area in many months.

Nearly 1,000 Hamlin territory people had their chests examined by the mobile x-ray unit sponsored by the Texas Tuberculosis Association, during its stay last Thursday, Friday and Saturday at Hamlin Motor Company.

ONE YEAR AGO.

News items in the Hamlin community of one year ago included the following, condensed from the issue of The Hamlin Herald dated September 2, 1955:

Prospects for fair crops of feed and cotton in the Hamlin sector are fast fading with the continued lack of rain.

Prospect of plenty of cotton pickers for the smaller-than-average cotton crop is good.

Ban on all-night parking on the principal streets of downtown Hamlin will be strictly enforced, declare city officials. The ban has been set from 1:00 to 5:00 a. m. so that the streets may be swept with the new mobil sweepers.

Name of L. H. (Herman) McBrade has been filed for a place on the ticket of next Tuesday's name a new member of the City Council.

Men and Women in Armed Services To Be Brought Under Social Security

Men and women on active duty in the armed forces will be brought under the old age and survivors' insurance provisions of the social security act on a permanent, contributory basis on January 1, 1957. This results from the servicemen's act which was signed into law on August 1 of this year by President Eisenhower.

The social security tax to be levied will be on the service person's basic pay only, and will not be imposed on such items as the value of food, shelter, various allowances, and special pay. The rate will be the same as though the individual were a civilian employee of a commercial firm. The federal government will pay the employer portion of the tax.

Special procedures will be set up for the issuance of social security account number cards to members of the armed forces, making it unnecessary for them to contact social security district offices to apply for their cards. Instructions as to their procedure will be furnished them through their service units, as soon as it is necessary to insure proper actions.

Active service on or after January 1, 1957, may carry with it the former gratuity \$160 per month wage credits for military service performed any time in the 1950-56 period even if that same service is creditable toward a retirement payment from the service department. There are some special provisions regarding use of the gratuity period or periods by either the civil service retirement system or the social security system, but not both.

Also, beginning with January, 1957, applications for survivor benefits filed with either the Social Security Administration or the Veterans Administration by survivors of servicemen will constitute applications for benefits from both agencies, with proofs submitted to one agency being made available to the other.

An informative leaflet on these provisions will soon be available, and members of the armed forces

desiring a copy should write the Social Security Administration, District Office, Abilene, Texas, giving their names and mailing addresses. Copies will be mailed to them as soon as a supply is received by the Abilene office.

Rubber bands at The Herald

POOR WHEAT DISCOUNTED.

The U. S. Department of Agriculture has released a list of 23 varieties of wheat which are classified as undesirable because of inferior milling or baking qualities. They will be discounted 20 cents per bushel in price support rates on the 1957 wheat crop.

CITIZENS INTERFERING WITH FIRE FIGHTERS

Several West Texas towns are endeavoring to cope with a problem that has harassed the volunteer fire departments for months—the scores of automobilists who persist in going to the scene of fires, often interfering with their effective handling of fire fighting and hampering the traffic on the way to the fires. Hamlin firemen have had to contend with this situation numerous times—and the matter seems not to be improving.

Out at McCamey the situation has become so serious, says The McCamey News, that the mayor and City Council have clamped down on offenders with stiff fines for motorists who follow the fire trucks to fires.

The council's action to clamp down on what Mayor Olin Smith called "excitement hunters" came after three members of the McCamey Volunteer Fire Department aired their grievances before the municipal governing body. The three-man delegation declared that traffic en route to a recent fire was so heavy that it was impossible for some members of the fire department to reach the location of the blaze. The traffic, stated to have been two abreast in some places, slowed the arrival of many of the firemen at the scene.

Hamlin firemen have been hampered on a number of occasions in getting fire fighting

equipment to the scene of fires, declare members of the department. Some narrow escapes from serious traffic accidents have been averted by the firemen. This hazard alone should prompt citizens of the community to cooperate with the firemen, who are giving a noteworthy service to the community, in refraining from going directly to the fires. City ordinances prohibit non-firemen from getting closer than 300 feet to a fire, firemen declare. Moreover, city traffic regulations point out that vehicles on the move when the fire siren is sounded should move to the curb and stop until the fire fighting apparatus shall have passed. In rare instances has this regulation been observed.

Surely it is an unthinking citizenry that will not cooperate with the firemen when a blaze breaks out. If people will only stop to consider that, if the fire is at their own home, they should be interested to see that the firemen be given every consideration in seeing that they get to the blaze before it gets out of control.

Firemen also remind citizens that it is a violation of law for an automobile driver to drive his vehicle over a fire hose. The inner structure of a hose will often give way after being run over—and fire hose today is not being given away by a long shot.

The Ball Is Rolling

It is encouraging to be able to report that sentiment for doing something about our confiscatory federal income tax is growing—and growing in official circles as well as among the millions of other people who must do the paying.

A short time ago, for instance, a great deal of approval was given to a American Weekly article by former Commissioner of Internal Revenue Coleman Andrews, in which he urged that the income tax be repealed and abandoned, and that an entirely new and more equitable system of taxation be devised to take its place.

Other authorities do not believe reform should go this far. But they do agree that major changes are necessary. Representative Daniel Reed, of the all-important House ways and means committee, states that the top bracket income tax rate, now 91 per cent, should be greatly reduced, that all bracket rates should be graduated downward to conform to the new top rate, and that the law should be simplified by the elimination of as many special exemptions as possible. Representative Mills of Arkansas, also member of ways and means, has expressed similar views.

Actually, even very substantial reductions in top bracket rates would have relatively small effect on government revenue—for the reason that comparatively few people are in these income groups, and their payments can not make much of a dent in our incredibly big federal budgets. Yet confiscatory taxation hurts the whole country by depriving it of investments that otherwise would be made in productive enterprise—and would create jobs and opportunities for us all.

The ball of tax reform is rolling. May it swiftly gather momentum.

Calories in House Work

If you picture yourself an overweight housewife, don't blame yourself too much. Today, one-story ramblers eliminate stair climbing; automatic dryers keep you from hanging out the wash; a vacuum replaces the broom.

You're lucky if you can use up even 2,000 calories a day when sweeping or dusting consumes 125; sewing or writing, 25 to 35; dressing or undressing, 48; ironing, 74; dishwashing, 74; polishing, 189. Your mother used to be able to work off some 3,000 or more calories a day just keeping house.

You Can't Clip TV

Dorothy Kilgallen, the columnist and television star, recently had something pleasant to say about newspapers as reading matter.

"You can read on a train crossing the desert or on a plane at 17,000 feet above the Atlantic—no static, no fading, no blips," says Mrs. Kilgallen. "You can read in a bathtub or while hanging onto a pet in a crowded bus. You can read as much or as little as you want, as fast or as slowly as you want."

"And if you read something you like, you can tear it out and save it to read again some day. I enjoy radio and television, and am grateful to be employed by both, but I must admit they have their drawbacks. Did you ever try to clip a television program and paste it in your scrapbook?"

Here's why the newspaper holds its dominant place in the homes and hearts of Americans. And here is why—to touch on the world of commerce from which all of us draw our livings—the newspaper remains an unsurpassed means of advertising goods and services.—The Liberty Indicator.

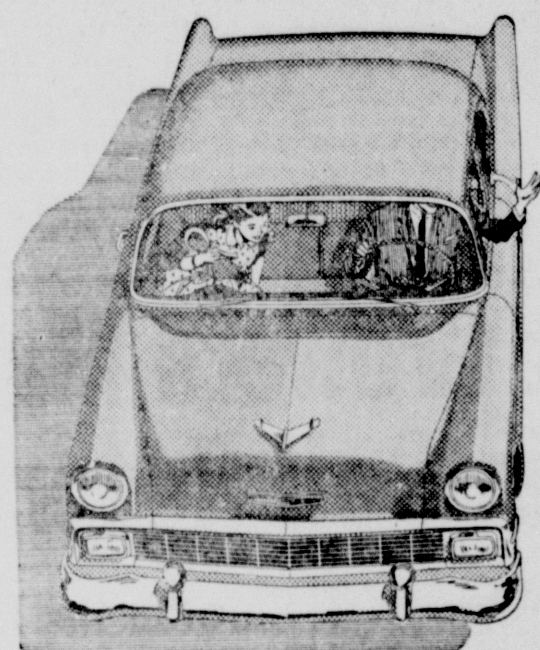
Editorial of the Week

BULLETS WILL NOT BE ANSWER

The fierce riots in Poznan, Poland—worst to occur anywhere in the communist orbit since the death of Stalin—have been quelled with customary red brutality. But it would be an error indeed to believe that the reasons for the dramatic outbreak have been removed or that there is little possibility of similar events occurring elsewhere in the satellite lands.

For years the interests of the working class in the occupied countries, as in Russia itself, have been sacrificed to the welfare of the state, especially to an all-consuming drive to build up overwhelming military might. In a land of free enterprise such as America, it is possible to have both guns and bread—and many other desirable things. Not so in the communist dictatorships. Regardless of the harsh effects on living standards, armaments come first—consumer goods and the people's welfare second, if at all.

But those so frightfully subjugated and exploited will not suffer forever without protest and a demand for adequate food and decent living conditions. Communist leaders have put down the rebellion with ruthless force. But some day will surely come an accounting—an outbreak for which their guns will be no answer.—Grit Magazine.



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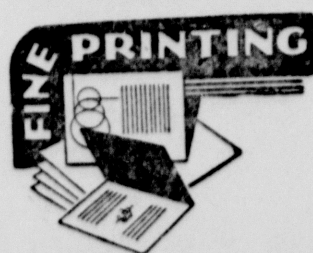
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Back-to-School Party Slated Saturday Eve At Methodist Church

First Methodist Church youths of Hamlin are sponsoring a back-to-school party in the church basement Saturday evening, from 7:30 to 10:00 o'clock. Directed recreation will be under the leadership of Mary Willingham and Judy Harden. There will also be recreation such as table tennis, shuffle board, checkers, dominoes, etc.

Publicity posters and announcements are being made at the Hamlin High School and Junior High School. Ages 12 and up are invited to the party.

Decorations are directed by Janis Richardson. The clean-up crew is under the chairmanship of Darris Egger Jr. Refreshments will be served at the closing of the party. Linda Carlton and

1,000 Farmers Killed In Tractor Accidents

Tractor accidents kill about 1,000 farmers every year, according to the 1956 edition of "Accident Facts," the statistical yearbook of the National Safety Council, which is just off the press.

One-third of the tractor deaths occur in highway accidents while the tractor is being moved from one place to another.

A song is more lasting than the riches of the world.—Padriac Colum.

Linda Dwiggins are in charge of refreshments.

In deference to the party at the Methodist Church, the regular weekly youth fellowship of the First Baptist Church, scheduled for Saturday nights, has been called of this week.



ORCHID FOR MISS TEXAS—"Miss Texas," Barbara Murry of Houston, receives an orchid from Governor Allan Shivers as she prepares to board a plane in Houston for Atlantic City, New Jersey, and the Miss America contest.

Attendance at City Sunday Schools Sags Sunday for Holidays

Labor Day holidays no doubt influenced attendance at the Sunday Schools of Hamlin Sunday when the total of the 13 churches reporting showed a drop of 15 from the previous Sunday. The 1,273 total, however, was three more than the year-ago figure.

Totals by churches for September 2, August 26 and a year ago follow:

	Sept. 2	Aug. 26	Year Ago
Faith Methodist.....	57	54	26
Assembly of God.....	39	28	45
Pentecostal.....	12	18	35
Foursquare.....	68	48	78
Calvary Baptist.....	36	54	41
Church of Christ.....	173	167	145
Sunset Baptist.....	46	58	35
First Methodist.....	204	172	194
Ch. of Nazarene.....	90	108	88
Mexican Baptist.....	75	59	69
Oak Gr. Col. Baptist.....	51	68	28
No. Cen. Av. Baptist.....	84	91	50
First Baptist.....	338	362	436
Totals.....	1273	1288	1270

It was the tiny town of Chireno in Nacogdoches County where oil was first discovered in Texas.

There are more than 2,000 oil wells within the limits of Oklahoma City or close by.

Hay Fever Sufferers Declare Ailment Is Year-Around Affair

Hay fever season is a year-around affair in Texas, as many Hamlin area sufferers will verify.

The reason behind this sad state of affairs, says the Department of Health, is Texas' wide range of climatic and soil conditions which produce an assortment of offending flora—trees and shrubs and grasses.

Ragweed pollen is still the biggest enemy of the watery-eyed set, department officials say, but mountain cedar, scrub elm and a variety of other plants and grasses also cause their share of sneezing misery.

There are some bright spots in Texas, though. Department hygienists say pollen counts in El Paso, Amarillo and other West Texas towns have been "amazingly low."

From mid-winter until early spring, susceptible people from Dallas southward will be affected by the pollen of cedar, a profusely growing tree with a bad habit of pollinating in late autumn and winter rather than in spring.

Fall hay fever sufferers probably have the scrub elm to blame for their troubles. A late summer and autumn pollinator, the elm is common over most of the state, but is particularly profuse in the bottom lands of the Guadalupe and Trinity Rivers. The mesquite, a member of the legume family, causes "minor" allergic trouble in West Texas during May, June and July.

In arid parts of Central and West Texas, Russian thistle is a leading cause of inhalant allergy. Other local causes are sugar beets and Palmer's amaranth. Sage pollen is a potential factor in West Texas, but information on distribution is not available. Sand sagebrush, a dominant native plant in the Panhandle, is suspected as a trouble-maker.

How do you get relief from hay fever? A sea voyage during "your" season would do it. So would staying in an air filtered room. But since neither action is practical, check with your doctor about a series of "pollen extract" shots.

RAINS NOT IN CYCLES.

Predictions of rainfall cannot be made on the basis of weather cycles of "wet and dry years." Recent studies of rainfall records at 31 locations dating as far back as 89 years in Texas' High and Rolling Plains by the Texas Agricultural Experiment Station show that cycles play little or no part in annual rainfall figures.

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Net Sales to Celotex Corporation Hit New High in Nine-Month

Net sales of the Celotex Corporation in the nine months ended July, including those of the Hamlin plant, were the highest for any like period in company history, O. S. Mansell, president, reported from Chicago. Net income increased 39 per cent over earnings in the corresponding nine months a year ago.

The record Celotex sales totaled \$57,546,477, up 14 per cent from the previous high of \$50,399,156 set in the same nine-month period last year.

Earnings were \$4,565,561 after income tax provisions compared with \$3,275,480 in the like three-quarters a year ago. After preferred dividend requirements of \$192,647, the earnings were equal to \$4.97 a share on \$78,651 shares of common stock outstanding, as against \$3.50 a share on the same number of shares in the comparable nine months last year.

School Bus Routes to Be About Same as Last Year, Says Cook

School bus routes for the Hamlin Schools will be the same as last year as far as possible, it was announced this week by Superintendent C. F. Cook. Drivers have been employed, and announcement will be made in next week's Herald as to the routes and drivers, Cook said.

The city bus will be discontinued. Students formerly riding this bus will be served with the regular buses. Children who rode the city bus last year paid for that service. There will be no charge to ride the regular buses.

It will be necessary to establish stops in the city for the new bus schedule. Children will have to meet the bus at the stops. "We are going to plan these stops well so as to serve all," declared the superintendent.

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Junior Exhibitors at State Fair to Cash In

More than 2,000 junior livestock and poultry exhibitors will compete for rewards that probably will exceed \$200,000 in the junior livestock shows and sales during the second week of the 1956 State Fair of Texas at Dallas October 6 to 21.

Last year 1,074 boys and girls from all over Texas went home with money jingling in their jeans from the sale of livestock and

Crimemobile Begins Long Tour of State

Crashing of a bottle of "truth serum" by Suzanne and Maranine Sheppard, twin daughters of Attorney General and Mrs. John Ben Sheppard, launched the Texas

poultry that brought a grand total of \$176,974.51 over the auction block. These receipts were in addition to all cash premiums and sales by private treaty after sifting.

Law Enforcement Foundation's new crimemobile last week at special dedication ceremonies at the Texas Department of Public Safety at Austin.

The crimemobile is a 40-foot rolling anti-crime classroom with modern crime detection laboratory dedicated to the cause of better law enforcement in Texas. It has begun a tour of the state, and is scheduled to make a stop at Hamlin later in the year. It will primarily visit schools and civic organizations.



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In the door prize distribution the following awards were made to registrants:

- First Prize, Gas Range—Carrol Miller of Peacock
- Second Prize, Vacuum Cleaner—Travis Boatwright
- Third Prize, Coffee Maker—Mrs. Eddie B. Hopper
- Fourth Prize, Electric Mixer—Mrs. G. L. Masser
- Fifth Prize, Electric Iron—Mrs. Lee Hastings

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The Herald's Page for Women



Martha Hubbard Becomes Bride of Raymond Clayton in Saturday Rituals

Double ring wedding ceremonies at the Hamlin First Baptist Church Saturday evening at 6:00 o'clock united in marriage Martha Vahee Hubbard of Hamlin and Raymond Ennis Clayton of Lubbock. Rev. W. C. Rea, pastor of the Calvary Baptist Church, was the officiating minister.

The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Travis Hubbard of Hamlin, and young Clayton is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Ennis Clayton of Dalhart.

Twin bouquets of white chrysanthemums interspersed with greenery and candelabra decorated the altar. Wedding music was rendered by Mrs. Marvin Carlton, organist, who also accompanied Ed Higgins, soloist, when he sang "September Song" and "Because."

Given in marriage by her father, the bride was dressed in a ballerina length dress of embossed organza featuring a net overskirt. The bodice was fashioned with low scalloped neckline. The waist length illusion veil was attached to a pearl tiara. She carried a white orchid atop a white Bible.

Maid-of-honor was Mary Jo Hubbard, sister of the bride. She wore a white faille dress designed

with low neckline and push-up sleeves. Her flowers were pale pink asters.

Bridesmaids were Laveta French of Tuxedo and Alta Lois Lee of Midland. They wore pale pink dresses and carried white asters. Ella Louise Clayton of Dalhart, sister of the bridegroom, and Judy Harden of Hamlin lighted candles.

Best man was Jerry Williams of Lubbock. Ken Wilson and Glen Smith, both of Lubbock, served as ushers.

The bride, who graduated last May from Hamlin High School, has been employed at the Farmers & Merchants National Bank. The bridegroom, a graduate of Texas Technological College, is working on his master's degree there, and is employed by the Plains Cooperative Oil Mill in Lubbock.

For a wedding trip to Colorado Springs, Colorado, Mrs. Clayton changed to a beige and black cotton suit with black accessories. The newlyweds will be at home at 2412 Avenue K in Lubbock.

Reception Follows Hubbard-Clayton Rites Saturday Eve

Following the Hubbard-Clayton wedding rites Saturday evening at the First Baptist Church, a reception for wedding attendants and friends was given by parents of the bride in the fellowship hall of the church.

The bride's serving table was laid with lace over a pink cloth and was centered with a cake in an arrangement of white chrysanthemums.

The house party included Carolyn Pace, Peggy Briscoe, Barbara Durham, Mrs. Carl Young, Mrs. A. C. Tidwell, Mrs. Edd Rodgers and Mrs. Clyde Newberry.

BUTLERS HAVE GUESTS.

Visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. M. C. Butler the past week-end were Mrs. Butler's parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. G. Bowman, and Mr. and Mrs. G. G. Bowman Jr. and four sons from Grand Prairie; her sister, Mrs. Willis Hutchingson, husband and two children of Arlington; and three of her aunts, Mrs. Johnny Martin of Throckmorton, Mrs. Joe Wheeler of Phoenix, Arizona, and Mrs. Sterling Harper of Lexington, North Carolina.



MRS. RAYMOND ENNIS CLAYTON (above) before her marriage Saturday afternoon in the First Baptist Church, was Martha Vahee Hubbard, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Travis Hubbard. After a brief honeymoon the newlyweds will be at home at 2412 Avenue K in Lubbock, where young Clayton is working on his master's degree at Texas Tech College.

Cold Milk Is One of Best Refreshments for Hot Days, Says Agent

Do you reach for something cold to drink on these hot summer afternoons? Frosty, cold milk is your best choice, both flavor-wise and nutrition-wise, according to Mary Y. Newberry, home demonstration agent. Be sure it's cold, but don't dilute it with ice cubes. Use cold glasses.

A glass of milk is refreshing any time during the day. It serves as a quick pick-up for young and old.

Milk is not fattening. An eight-ounce glass of whole milk has only 166 calories. This is just a small percentage of the 2,300 needed daily by the average woman. Skim milk has even fewer calories.

It's high in other food values, so that each calorie is packed with nutrition. An eight-ounce glass of milk provides one-third of the calcium you need daily. Calcium is the mineral that keeps bones hard, and it helps keep muscles working better, too.

More than one-fourth of the riboflavin (that's vitamin B2) needed each day is in that glass of milk, plus high quality protein, minerals and vitamins in good quantity.

Start now to form the milk drinking habit. Plain or dressed up with ice cream, fresh crushed fruit or syrup, milk offers lots of food values.

JENKINS VISITS RELATIVES.

Rev. John Calvin Jenkins, pastor of Hodges Baptist Church near Levelland, visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. O. L. Jenkins, last week at Hamlin. He also visited his sister, Mrs. W. A. Norris and family and the Jenkins' granddaughter, Nancy Baker, at Gainesville.

RED CROSS HELPERS.

Among the volunteers participating during the past year in Red Cross blood program activities were 4,000 physicians, 8,000 nurses, 1,000 technicians and 86,000 other volunteers.

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Rumfield-Hedges Reunion Attracts 101 To Abilene State Park

One hundred and one relatives including several from the Hamlin area, were attendants at the twelfth annual Rumfield-Hedges family reunion held Thursday, August 23, through Sunday, August 26, held at the Abilene State Park.

Besides the relatives, 35 other visitors also were present for the get-together, which featured reminiscing, swimming, fishing, singing, games and feasting.

Mrs. M. L. Rumfield of Hamlin, who is 82, was the oldest attendant. Larry Pearce, six-month-old grandson of Mr. and Mrs. Monroe Tabb of Hamlin, was the youngest.

In a business session, Willis Rumfield of Fort Worth was elected president of the group; Shorty Hedges of Abilene, vice president; and Mrs. Monroe Tabb of Hamlin, secretary-treasurer.

Rev. Charles Hedges of Midland, chaplain of the reunion, preached for the group Sunday morning.

As a sidelight of the reunion Sherman Rumfield, a grandson of Mrs. M. L. Rumfield, who was orphaned when he was a youngster, and who recently found his father, was present with his wife, Lora, for the gathering.

Attendants were present from the following cities: Edcouch, San Angelo, Clyde, Abilene, Houston, Fort Worth, Azle, Rotan, Stamford, Roby, Hamlin, Hawley, Elsa, Merkel, Midland, Seymour and Bronte; and Douglas, Arizona.

Relatives of Area Go To Perryman Family Reunion at Big Spring

Scores of relatives, including several from the Hamlin and McCaulley communities, attended the annual Perryman family reunion August 26 at the city park in Big Spring.

The day was spent in reminiscing, feasting, picture making and playing games.

Attendants of the get-together included Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Perryman and Billy Jack and Mr. and Mrs. Edmond Rogers and Kevin of Hamlin; Mr. and Mrs. Dock Perryman of Artesia, New Mexico; Mr. and Mrs. Jack Perryman, Sandy and Elliott, Mr. and Mrs. B. W. Gilliland, Mr. and Mrs. Pete Perryman and Ken of Big Spring; Mrs. Ruth Griffin and Jimmy of Sweetwater; Mr. and Mrs. Jim Fenton of Tahoka, Mr. and Mrs. Gilbert Steinhouser of Wilcox; Mr. and Mrs. James Northcutt and Debbie of Seminole; Mr. and Mrs. Tom McCasland, Lindsey, Wayne and Gary of Midland; Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Stephenson, Vickie and Renee of Crane; Mr. and Mrs. Earl Long, Stanley and Karen, Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Cowley of Hamlin; Mrs. Lena Fay Franks and Linda of Big Spring.

VISIT IN ARIZONA.

Mr. and Mrs. L. R. Faulkenberry and Mr. and Mrs. Bonnie Bingham visited Mr. and Mrs. George Bingham and Denise of Gallup, New Mexico, and Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Lea and children at Winslow, Arizona. While in Arizona they toured the Grand Canyon, Oak Creek Canyon and Jerome, the ghost town of Arizona.

Synthetic Detergents That Foam Good Not Necessarily Better

Don't judge a synthetic detergent by the amount of foam it makes... detergent suds don't clean, declares Mary Y. Newberry, county home demonstration agent.

The amount of soap suds in laundry tub or dishpan is often used as a rough guide to indicate whether the water contains enough soap to get the clothes clean. What holds true for soap, specialists say, isn't necessarily true for all synthetic detergents.

Research shows that some of the sudsless solutions remove soil in washing clothes as well as others with lots of suds.

The cleaning ability of any detergent depends largely on two qualities: First, how much it aids water in getting soiled articles thoroughly wet so dirt can be carried away; and, secondly, how well it loosens soil and holds it in suspension until clothes are removed from washing solution.

Water alone cannot wet materials as well as water containing soap or other detergents.

Judge detergent, soap or other cleaning compound by the way it cleans—not the way it foams or suds. Foam may sometimes be a disadvantage. When mild, high-sudsing detergents are used, it is possible to get "enough suds" before you have a good cleaning concentration.

MRS. ROGERS RETURNS.

Mrs. Lillie M. Rogers returned Saturday from a two-week vacation and visit with B. A. Rogers and family at Portales, New Mexico, and Leon Rogers at Carlsbad, New Mexico.

Substitution of Simple Ingredients in Cooking Can Save the Day in Kitchen

Most every cook gets caught without a certain ingredient at one time or another. With proper know-how you can make some quick substitutions, says Mary Y. Newberry, Jones County home demonstration agent. Here are some equivalents which may help you out of a difficulty sometime:

For one cup of butter or margarine use seven-eighths cup of lard or seven-eighths cup of oil or one cup hydrogenated fat. Add about one-half teaspoon of salt with each if desired.

For one square (ounce) of chocolate substitute three or four tablespoons cocoa plus one-half tablespoon of fat.

You may use two egg yolks instead of one whole egg for thickening or baking.

In baking, if recipe calls for sweet milk and baking powder use an equal amount of sour milk plus one-half teaspoon of soda per cup. Each half teaspoon of soda with one cup of sour milk takes the place of two teaspoons of baking powder in a done cup of sweet milk.

If recipe calls for sour milk in baking and you have only sweet milk, add one tablespoon vinegar or one tablespoon lemon juice or one and three-quarters teaspoons cream of tartar to one cup of sweet milk.

For one cup of cake flour for baking substitute seven-eighths cup of all purpose flour.

One tablespoon of granulated tapioca or one-half tablespoon of corn starch is equivalent to one tablespoon of flour when used for thickening.

In baking bread, for one cup of all-purpose flour you may substitute up to one-half cup of bran or whole wheat flour, or corn meal plus enough all-purpose flour to fill cup.

BACK FROM COAST.

Mrs. T. J. Davis and daughter, Nola, returned from San Bernardino, California, where they visited their father and grandfather for two weeks. They reported it was unusually cold for California for this time of year.

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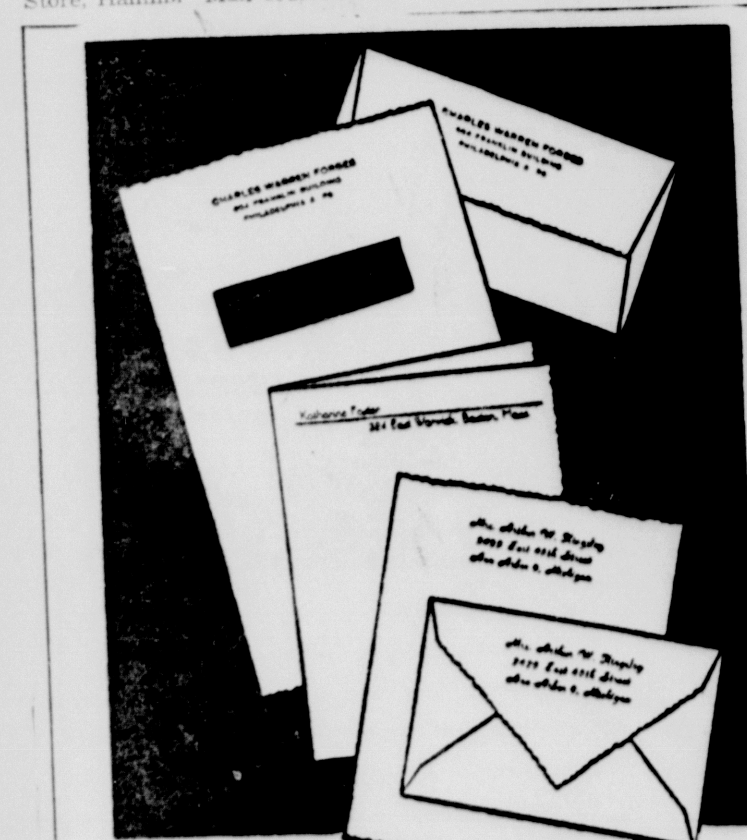
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State Capital NEWS

By Vern Sanford.
Manager, Texas Press Association

Austin.—Instead of simmering down at summer's end, Texas' political pot is boiling more furiously than ever.

New significance has been added to the already controversial state Democratic convention next week. Monday the executive committee must certify a winner in one of the most breath-takingly close gubernatorial races in Texas history.

It promises to be an even closer finish than in 1952 when Mrs. Miriam Ferguson edged out Ross Sterling by 3,798 votes.

Decision of the executive committee apparently is all important. In the Ferguson-Sterling contest courts refused to interfere with the committee ruling. They said it would delay the general election.

Would-be successors to Price Daniel didn't wait for the vacancy to develop to start scrambling for his U. S. Senate post.

Political observers predict a "real horse race" if Daniel does resign in time for a special election.

First formal announcement came from State Senator Searcy Bracewell of Houston. Bracewell promised to vote with Democrats in organizing the Senate, but made it clear he voted for Ike in 1952 and would do so again.

He is a major threat to the Texas GOP's official endorsee, Thad Hutcheson, a young Houston attorney. Hutcheson promised "no token fight."

James P. Hart, former Supreme Court justice and University of Texas chancellor, also has announced.

Congressman-at-Large Martin Dies indicated early in the summer that he would run.

"Names in speculation" include just about every other Texan or formerly in public life—Ralph Yarborough, J. Everts Haley, Lloyd Bentsen Jr., John Ben Shepherd, John C. White, Wright Morrow, etc.

Not all will run, of course, but such a rare political opportunity is sure to draw a crowded field. Filing fee is only \$50. High man wins without a run-off.

In the last such election, held in 1941, a total of 29 candidates ran. W. Lee O'Daniel emerged as victor with a blade-thin lead over Lyndon B. Johnson.

Democrats will make a real fight to regain Texas in the November election, says U. S. Senator Lyndon Johnson.

He has invited both nominees to speak in Texas this fall. Vice Presidential Candidate Kefauver was specifically urged to attend the Heart of Texas Fair in Waco, to be held September 29-October 5.

For millions of Texans the political clamor is almost drowned out this week by the ringing of school bells.

As usual, a "biggest ever" public school enrollment is expected. Texas Education Agency estimates enrollment at 1,754,833 compared to 1,740,784 last year.

No official reports or estimates were available on how many addi-

tional schools will be integrated this year. TEA officials, always carefully aloof on the subject, said they had "heard of only a few." Only known trouble spot was Mansfield (Tarrant County) where white citizens patrolled the school to prevent registration of negroes.

A more common problem is the shortage of teachers. Some 6,000 additional teachers are needed, says the Texas State Teachers Association.

Despite a summer slump and farm troubles, forecasters expect Texas' total business volume to set another record in 1956.

According to the University of Texas Bureau of Business Research, business activity declined two per cent in July. But the index was still two per cent above July of 1955.

"Plight of the drouth-stricken Texas farmer continues to be the most serious aspect of the state's business situation," said the report. "Farmers not only face falling prices, but have very little to sell."

Texas farm prices have fallen 36 per cent since 1951, livestock prices 48 per cent in the same period.

Proposals to streamline Texas' mental health code are being drafted by the University of Texas Law School.

Financed by the Hogg Foundation, the project is being conducted with the guidance of the Board for State Hospitals and Special Schools.

Suggested changes would (1) Encourage earlier care for mental cases to speed recoveries and reduce expense to the state; and (2) modernize administrative procedures for the state hospital system.

Texas needs a department of justice to bolster local enforcement of state criminal laws. State Auditor C. H. Cavness made this suggestion last week in a report on the Department of Public Safety. He pointed out that legislative investigators and urged such a move three years ago.

Cavness also noted that, while the DPS funds and staff have grown, they have not kept pace with needs and responsibilities.

A federal grand jury investigation of the bankrupt U. S. Trust & Guaranty Company is scheduled for September 24.

Federal officials would have the power to prosecute if they found the company had violated U. S. postal regulations or securities laws.

U. S. District Attorney Malcom R. Wilkey of Houston declined to say what course the inquiry might take.

Short Shorts—Withdrawal of Senator A. M. Aikin Jr. from the lieutenant governor's race for health reasons caused only minor delays in second primary preparations. Most counties reported they had printed only a few ballots for absentee voters. In urban counties voting machines were changed with little difficulty. . . . State Health Department

officials last week warned gardeners against use of some of the newer "organic phosphate" insecticides. Such sprays are safe only in the hands of professionals who use protective clothing, goggles and respirators, said the department. . . . Texas Department of Public Safety polygraph (lie detector) examiner Dee Wheeler has been named one of the outstanding authorities in his field in the country. Wheeler was cited in the book, "From Evidence to Proof," by Michigan Professor Marshall Houts, former FBI man, lawyer and judge. . . . William L. McGill, state civil defense director, has been in M. D. Anderson Hospital in Houston for "examination and observation." McGill is nationally known for his work in civil defense.

The only Longhorn cattle left in Texas are in the zoo at San Antonio.

Hundreds at Formal Opening of H. & M.

Visitors by the hundreds attended the formal opening last week-end of the H. & M. Tire and Appliance Store, according to Joe Hudspeth, partner and proprietor of the new Hamlin business establishment.

Winners of the door prizes included: Carol Miller of Peacock, range; Travis Gene Boatright of Hamlin, vacuum cleaner; Mrs. Eddie B. Hopper of Hamlin, electric coffee maker; Mrs. Lee Hastings of Hamlin, electric automatic iron; and Mrs. G. L. Masser of Route 2, Hamlin, electric mixer.

LABOR DAY VISITORS.

Mr. and Mrs. Edell Perryman and daughter of Irving were Labor Day visitors of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Perryman, and other relatives in the Hamlin area.

Cotton Quiz

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Crowds of Region to Hear LeTourneau

R. G. LeTourneau, well known church layman and industrialist of Longview, will be featured this (Thursday) evening in an address at the First Baptist Church at Stamford.

LeTourneau's appearance is being sponsored by the Jones County Baptist Brotherhood, but the public is invited. Numbers of Hamlin area people are scheduled to attend.

Supper will be served beginning at 6:30 for the caterer's charge of \$1 per plate, it is announced. No charge, of course, is made to hear the speaker at 8:00 o'clock.

VISIT FROM DENTON.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Miller of Denton visited with her sister, E. L. Jenkins Sr., and husband, last week.

Dr. Pattillo to Attend Chiropractor Confab

Dr. William A. Pattillo, Hamlin chiropractor and secretary of the district group, will be among the more than 100 chiropractic leaders from all parts of the state who will gather in Austin Saturday for the second annual district officers' conference of the Texas Chiropractic Association.

Purpose of the conference is to orientate officers of the 12 association district (who were recently elected to office) in Texas with the aims, objectives and accomplishments of the association and to promote a closer unity between practitioner and the state organization through district organizations.

Robert E. Lee was once stationed at Fort Clark, Brackettville, Texas.

WINS DIAMOND RING.

Mrs. W. R. Beene of Hamlin was winner of the diamond ring that was given away by the Knobel Jewelers during the recent special jewelry sale. Gene Knobel, proprietor of the store, announces.

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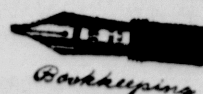
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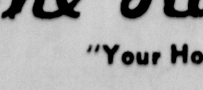
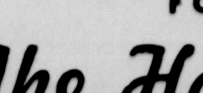
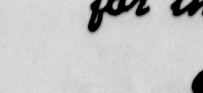
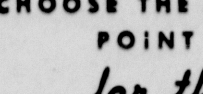
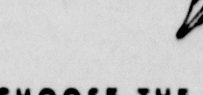
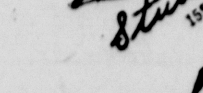
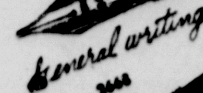
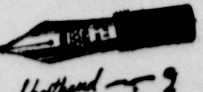
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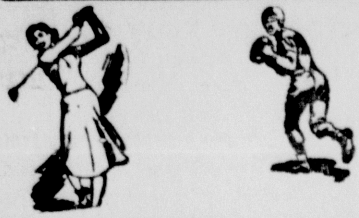
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Pied Pipers Open 1956 Grid Season at Roby Friday Night

Coach Nix Says His Gridsters in Good Condition

Faunting at the bits and determined to start the 1956 football season with a victory over the Class A Roby High School Lions, the Hamlin High School Pied Pipers will raise the curtain on the grid scene Friday night on the Roby grid. Game time is 8:00 o'clock.

Indicative of a mounting interest in the Pipers this year, one of the biggest delegations of boosters ever to follow the team is expected to make the caravan to the Fisher County capital. Heading up the group of cars making the trip will be leaders of the Hamlin Pied Piper Booster Club. President Bobby Crowley says the organization urges backers to meet at the high school at 6:30, where the cars will be decorated with streamers, then will leave in a group for the caravan.

Head Coach Truman Nix says his Pipers are in good physical

Work-Outs Begun at McCaulley for Good Six-Man Grid Season

Work-outs of the grid crew at McCaulley High School began this week under the direction of T. E. Green, superintendent, when about 15 boys reported for activity. The coach told a Herald reporter Tuesday that prospects for a hustling team of six-man footballers are good.

Improvements at the football field during the summer have provided the Eagles a gridiron that will see a lot of action.

First game so far arranged for the McCaulley crew is Thursday night, September 20, at Peacock, Green announces.

Harvey Lawlis, David Hennington, David Milner and Jimmy Kelly are the returning seniors who are the nucleus for this year's McCaulley squad. Others bidding for spots on the team are Melvin Green, Sammy Rackley, Jerry Jeffries, Jerry McCright, Danny Maberry, Richard Barnes, Gene Tabb and Jarrell Davis.

condition for the season opener. He declares his group will finish higher than the cellar position of last year.

Seven regulars are back on the squad from last year. The returnees are all-district guard Dee Prewitt; Lane Fletcher, end; Muri Don Smith, center; Doug Ford, halfback; Jerry Jay, end; Davey Weaver, guard; and Don Drummond, tackle.

Eight other lettermen will bolster the Pied Piper strength.

Probable starting line-up of the Pied Pipers in Friday night's tilt was released by Coach Nix as including:

Jerry Jay.....	Left end
Charles Jenkins.....	Left tackle
Davey Weaver.....	Left guard
Muri Don Smith.....	Center
Dee Prewitt.....	Right guard
Don Pylon.....	Right tackle
Lane Fletcher.....	Right end
Don Adair.....	Quarterback
Virgil Wilson.....	Right halfback
Doug Ford.....	Left halfback
Herbert Lakey.....	Fullback

All District 4-AA Teams Play First Encounters Friday

Football in District 4-AA gets rolling this week-end as interest in this Central West Texas region reaches fever heat after a summer that has also seen some rises in temperature.

As previously declared, concern has reached a climax not attained in several years at Hamlin, and the best football record of four or five years is expected to be hung up by the Pied Pipers.

Head Football Coach Truman Nix declares his boys are in good shape after a strenuous week-long full time training camp last week for more than three dozen gridriders brought out some outstanding talent.

Hamlin High School has a 10-game football menu beginning Friday night at Roby and winding up November 9 at Anson.

Noticeably missing from the Pied Piper schedule this year is the annual game against the Haskell High School Indians. Haskell is on probation following infraction of Interscholastic League rules last year. The Indians have been added to the District 4-AA loop along with Seymour, but will not see action until next year. In the four-team league this year will be Anson, Hamlin, Stamford and Seymour.

Games scheduled for this week-end, all of which are non-conference tilts, of course, are: Anson at Coleman, Hamlin at Roby, Crowell at Seymour and Stamford at Quanah.

Good Response to Booster Club Plan for Caravan Reported

Promise of good response to the Hamlin Pied Piper Booster Club's plan for an organized caravan of fans to go to the opening football game of the Hamlin High School season Friday night has been good, declares Bobby Crow-



THIS TOUGH LOOKING FOURSOME, constituting a charging backfield of the Hamlin High School Pied Pipers, will see their first game action Friday night when the local gridriders journey to Roby for an encounter with their perennial foes, the Roby High School Lions. Reading from left to right they are: Fullback Herbert Lakey, Halfback John Richey, Halfback Doug Ford and Quarterback Don Adair. (Photo courtesy The Abilene Reporter-News).

Major Hunting Regulations for Texas Summarized in Commission Release

Nimrods of the Hamlin section have joined others of the state, and many from out-of-state, in participating in game hunting, with the opening of dove season in this region on September 1.

Major fall hunting regulations summarized by the Texas Game and Fish Commission for ready reference follow:

Mourning Doves—North zone, September 1 to October 17; South zone, October 12 to November 28; noon to sunset; 10 doves per day or in possession.

Waterfowl—Ducks, November 2 to January 15; geese, November 2 to December 21; one-half hour before sunrise to sunset; five ducks per day, 10 in possession; five geese per day or in possession, both in the aggregate.

Deer—Under general law, November 16 to December 31; west of Pecos, December 8 to December 13; Panhandle, November 17 to 26. Several special local seasons in groups of counties or individual counties. Limit ranges from two buck deer under general state law to one buck deer and one antlerless deer under special local or regional regulations.

Turkey—November 16 to December 31 under general law; in Panhandle, November 17 to 26; limit three gobblers under general law, two gobblers in Panhandle. Special dates and limits prevail in many counties.

Quail—December 1 to January 16 under general law; west of Pecos, December 1 to December 31; Panhandle dates same as general laws; season on Mearns quail closed west of Pecos; limit under general law, 12 per day and not more than 36 in one week or in

ley, president of the booster group.

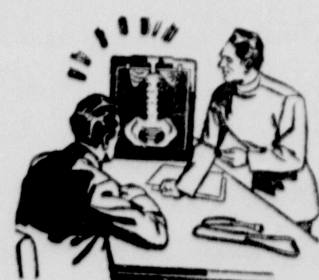
Fans are urged to meet at the high school at 6:30, where the cars will be decorated by high school girls, then will leave in a body for the game at 7:00 o'clock.

Sheriff Bus Rollans of Fisher County will be on hand to provide an escort to the football field at Roby, it is announced.

Boosters are urged to stay in a group, and the caravan will travel at 55 miles per hour. The trippers will reach the gridiron about 7:35, in time to get seated before game time at 8:00 o'clock.

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Bell's Hole-in-One Highlights Tourney

B. O. Bell, president of the Lakeview Golf Club but an admitted mediocre golfer, emerged as the star of the Labor Day tournament staged by the club when he scored a hole-in-one during play Monday afternoon.

This was the second hole-in-one made at the course, the feat having previously been done by Mrs. Joe League four years ago.

Bell's looper was attested to by Joe League, Jim Howard King and Harry Carmichael of Anson, who were playing in the foursome with Bell.

Responsibility of Fans Discussed by Steiner

"Responsibility of Fans" was the topic of discussion when Gus Steiner, president of the Central West Texas Football Officials Association of Abilene spoke at the first regular meeting Tuesday evening of the Hamlin Pied Piper Booster Club.

Steiner declared that the right attitude by the fans in the stands toward an athletic contest is vital to the game's purpose, and enjoyment. He urged his hearers to help in maintaining a wholesome, sportsmanlike spirit at football games this season.

Labor Day Golf Tournament Won By Chuck Abbott

Charlie (Chuck) Abbott emerged as the winner of the three-day 72-hole Labor Day golf tournament staged by the Lakeview Golf Club at the end of festivities Monday on the greens, then went on to score plenty high at the feast that followed.

Chuck nosed out Earl Smith in the championship flight, after Smith had posted a five-over-par 77 in the first 18 holes to become medalist for the play. Abbott's score for the 72 holes was 316, while Smith turned in a 321.

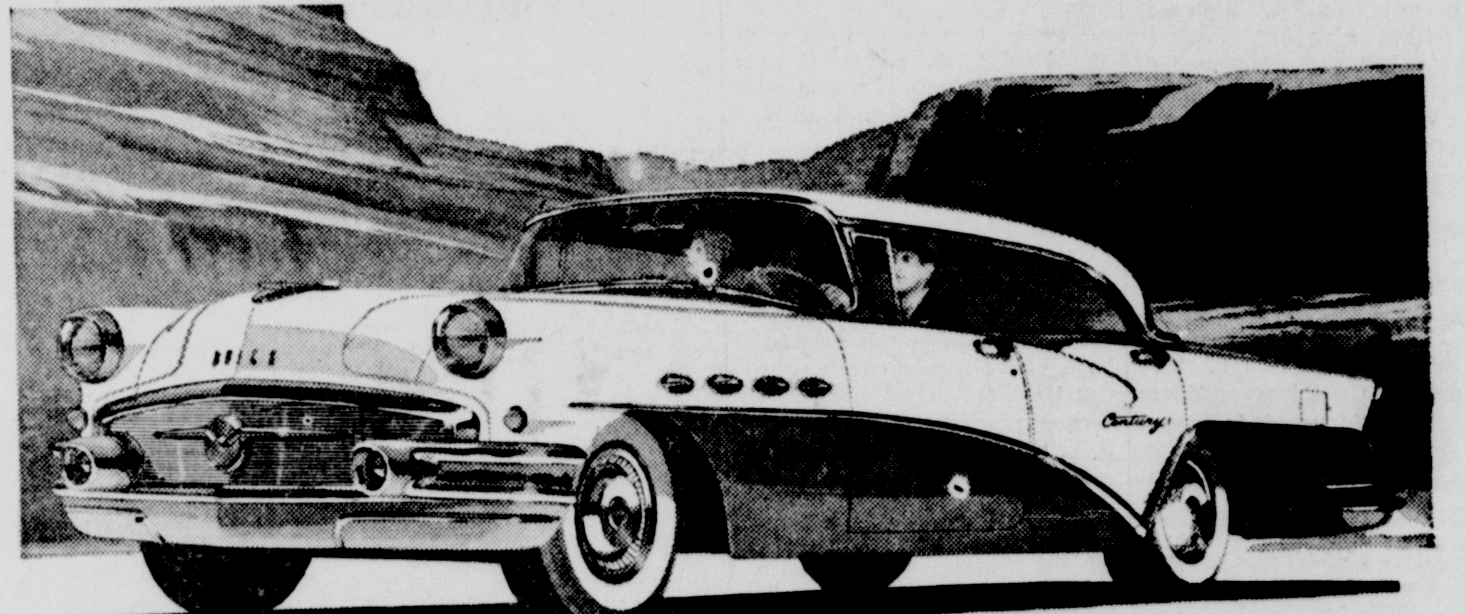
Thirty-two area golfers participated in the invitational tournament, which evinced the best interest shown in golfing at Hamlin for several years, declares B. O. Bell, president of the golf club.

Four flights of golfers were grouped in the three days of play that began Saturday and concluded Monday afternoon on a course that was in fair shape despite the severe drought that has plagued the golf patch along with farm and ranch lands of the area.

Charles Connally, turning in a 345, took high honors in the first flight, followed by Joe Ford with a 349. Floyd Briscoe won the second flight with a 350, and he was pushed by Bill Harbert who scored a 356. In the third flight Jerry Rawlis was top man with a 397, followed by George Poe, who turned in a 398.

Following the tournament a larger group showed interest in golfing and related things when they turned out for a chicken dinner served at the country club by wives of the club members.

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Fitting Driving Pattern to Highway Vital in Safe Driving, Says McFadden

Remember the old maxim, "Cut your pattern to your cloth?" E. C. McFadden of Dallas, president of the Texas Safety Association, gave it a new twist this week when he advised motorists of the Hamlin area to fit their driving to the traffic pattern.

He offered this advice in a release to The Herald in the interest of the share-the-road program sponsored by Texas Safety Association and the Department of Public Safety and the National Safety Council. This program is being conducted in cooperation with the slow-down-and-live program of the National Conference of State Safety Coordinators.

"Many of us do a good deal of driving during the summer months," he said. "Sometimes we have to change from quiet rural roads to super-highways to congested city streets—all in the same trip, and at such times our safety depends on how quickly we can adapt to changing traffic conditions."

"Getting into step with the new traffic pattern immediately is of prime importance," he said. This calls for great adaptability and driving skill.

"The driver who is skillful and versatile develops what might be called a 'sixth sense,'" McFadden said. "He gets the 'feel' of the new traffic pattern immediately and he adapts his own pace to it without delay."

"Once he has fitted his own car into this pattern he avoids doing anything that will endanger his own safety or the safety of the drivers around him," he said. "He takes only his own share of the road, and in the proper place. He drives at a safe distance from the car ahead. He keeps in his proper lane, passing only when he has ample time and space. He signals all turns and lane changes."

"The wise driver sees himself in true relation to the whole traffic picture," McFadden said. "He adapts his driving to the driving of the others around him. Courteously and realistically, he shares the road with them."

Pep Squad Practices For Opening of Grid Season Friday Night

Opening football game of the season Friday night at Roby will see the Hamlin High School Pep Squad in action, according to the sponsor, Dora D. Mitchell.

The Pep squad group, under the baton of Drum Major Judy Harden and Majorettes Eva Wallace and Benita Smith, have been practicing marching with the Pled Piper Band this week in preparation for the game with Roby Friday night.

Head Cheer Leader Mary Jo Hubbard and Cheer Leaders Linda Carlton and Mittie Ray have been practicing leading cheers.

Some of the 55 Pep Squad girls will assist in decorating cars for the caravan Friday night, according to the sponsor.



TOLD TO LEAVE—Assistant District Attorney Grady Hight of Tarrant County (second from left in coat) was told to leave the Mansfield High School grounds by an angry group after an argument over negro students wanting to register at the school. Hight is talking to a reporter as he leaves the grounds.

States' Rights Often Lost by Selling To Federal Government Says Burleson

"Bringing the government back to the people" has been a topic of considerable discussion recently, points out Congressman Omar Burleson in his Weekly column.

"Washington: As It Looks From Here," and he continues:

In a number of cases at different intervals of the last 20 years the U. S. Supreme Court has

directly and indirectly ruled that the federal government has the power to control that to which it contributes.

If this philosophy were strictly enforced, there would be fewer states' rights left than have already been usurped by Washington. We hear much about states' rights, and most people are all for it. However, many of us as individuals and as communities, are willing to sell off a little bit of these "rights" in return for federal money. It is something like selling royalty interest under

land. When we sell a part of oil and gas royalty under our land, it is gone forever unless we buy it back, and that is seldom done.

There are those who really believe that most all our government should come directly from Washington. Considerable amount of the federal government which we today find in our lives and in our business has been bought with the states' right we relinquished. It works both ways—there is a buyer and a seller.

Recently there was a bill passed in the House of Representatives more or less erroneously entitled a "Water pollution bill." Research and study are greatly needed to find the answer to cleaning up many polluted streams in order to safeguard a clean water supply for human consumption and to protect wildlife. The bill, however, carried the well known "grant-in-aid" provision, which would permit towns and cities to receive directly from the federal government money for their sewer systems.

Now, no one could imagine that the federal government would want to control the sewer system of any town or city, but probably they could if it came to a court test.

There is pending in the Congress a bill known as HR 3, introduced by Congressman Howard Smith of Virginia. It is an effort to redefine the basic concept and the historic doctrine of states' rights. The essence of the measure provides that in the absence of a congressional declaration depriving states of passing laws on a particular subject, and in the absence of any conflict between the state and federal laws, the states will be presumed to retain the right to enact and enforce similar laws.

The Smith bill is a highly important piece of legislation. It should be passed before the end of this session of the Congress to guarantee states their proper legislative power.

If HR 3 becomes law, and we as citizens look less to Washington for governmental help of some kind, states' rights will be more secure.

This is really the way to bring government back to the people.

Bright Sayings Department: "The world is full of willing people—some are willing to work, and the rest are willing to let them."

Music is well said to be the speech of angels.—Thomas Carlyle.

Donald Wellman Speaks at Lions Meeting Tuesday

"Investments" was the topic of a message delivered at the Tuesday noon luncheon meeting of the Hamlin Lions Club by Rev. Donald Wellman, pastor of the Hamlin Church of the Nazarene, at the oil mill guest house.

The speaker urged his hearers to investigate the reasonableness, truth and lack of contradiction of the Bible before investing their lives in a way of living. He discussed the origin of man, source of power, source of human problems of sin, the cure for the illness of sin, and the life of a Christian in living Christ-like.

Vice President Fred Smith was in the chair in the absence of President Edgar Duncan.

Plans for the ladies' night on Tuesday, September 18, are going forward, Smith announced. District Governor Lester Brooks of Iowa Park will be the guest of honor at the affair, to be staged at the Primary School cafeteria.

Besides Wellman, other guests at the Tuesday luncheon included H. E. Strickland of Abilene, County Agent Bill Lehmberg, Joe Breed and Harry Carmichael of Anson, Rev. Henry Adair and Frank Bayouth. Bayouth has applied for membership in the club.

Fred Smith Named Lions Vice President

At a called meeting of the board of directors of the Hamlin Lions Club last week Fred Smith was named first vice president of the civic group to succeed Jess Parrish, who has recently moved to Abilene, according to President Edgar Duncan.

Jim Howard King was named second vice president.

New Zealand was discovered in 1642 by Abel Tasman, a Dutch navigator.

Wesley Minton to Rice

Wesley Minton, son of Mr. and Mrs. Lester Minton of Hamlin, is due to leave this week-end for Houston, where he will enter Rice Institute. Young Minton, who lettered four years in football at Rotan High School, will try out for the freshman squad at Rice.

HOLDING RAINFALL

It's not the rain you get, but the rain you keep that counts, says G. O. Hoffman, Texas Agricultural Extension Service range specialist. Make provisions now to hold rainfall, he advises.

Freight Carloadings On Santa Fe Increase

Santa Fe Railway System freight carloadings for the week ending August 25, 1956, were 24,961 compared with 23,427 for the same week in 1955, showing a nice gain over the year-ago total. Cars received from connections totaled 12,928 compared with 12,036 for the same week in 1955.

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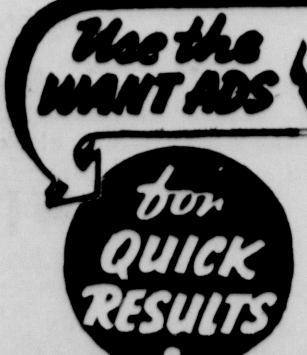
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NOTICE OF SCHOOL BUDGET HEARING

A public hearing on the proposed school budget for the ensuing year will be held at the next regular meeting of the board of trustees of the Hamlin Consolidated Independent School District on Tuesday, September 11, between 8:00 and 9:00 p. m. Anyone desiring to see the budget or ask any questions about it are invited to be present.—Edward Dodd, Secretary of the Board. 1c

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Unexpected Events Play Major Role in Economic Conditions, Writes Babson

Unexpected events is the theme of discussion of this week's article for The Herald by Roger W. Babson, outstanding economist and analyst, who is a regular contributor to these columns. He declares:

I have just finished reading the Guide to National Economics by Burton Crane entitled "Getting and Spending." It contains valuable statistics and notes. His conclusion is that if we will build up foreign markets "to keep the world safe," prosperity should continue, with an occasional dip now and then, for an indefinite period. He does not, however, mention "unexpected events." The very next day after I read this book there occurred the great Wanamaker fire in New York City, which crippled its subway system. The following day Ringling Brothers announced the suspension at Pittsburgh, in the middle of its season, of "The Greatest Show on Earth."

Certainly these were unexpected events, although perhaps not great enough to disturb stock markets. However, these events made me interested in studying anew the action of the stock market for the past 100 years. This is what I learned:

Business was prosperous during the Civil War and started to boom directly afterward. The sudden death of President Lincoln, however, caused stocks to tumble and a year of depression followed.

Again business began to boom until 1863 saw the famous "Black Friday" come very suddenly due to the corner on the gold market. Stocks quickly rebounded, and again investors were looking forward to several years of prosperity when, in late 1871, the Chicago fire occurred. This was followed by the great Boston fire in November, 1872. These caused another panic.

The market had just about recovered when the failure of the great banking house of Jay Cooke & Company was suddenly announced. Then, for the first time, the leading stock exchanges closed for several weeks. This unexpected failure brought on the great depression beginning in 1873 and extending for some years.

Suddenly, on July 2, 1881, President Garfield was shot. This started a chain reaction of selling. During this second period, the great banking house of Grant & Ward, plus the two leading "bulls," namely Henry Villard and James R. Keene, announced their failures. Depression, as usual, followed these unexpected events. Business began to correct itself in a few years, however.

Then 1892 was recorded as a year of great prosperity, when suddenly the failure of the National Cordage Company was announced in May, 1893. This was one of the 10 largest corporations and its stock would today be included in the "blue chip" group.

The following year the great Pullman strike occurred. This was the first serious strike, and it

cast great fear and gloom over the country. This was accompanied by a series of crop failures and mortgage foreclosures.

Again in 1897 business steadily improved and permanent prosperity was prophesied, accompanied by stock splits, mergers and large security offerings. Suddenly, in 1903, there came another panic due to the still more unexpected cause of "undigested securities." This panic resulted in the investigation of large life insurance and

traction companies which were then very popular. The final crash came with the San Francisco earthquake which dragged prices way down.

Up to this time the national government had been friendly to business, with no commissions or other retarding factors. The Supreme Court had been content to decide questions between the states. Suddenly in the early 1900s it issued a decision forbidding the consolidation of the Great Northern Railroad and the Northern Pacific Railroad. This came out of a clear sky and took the zip out of the stock market until the first World War broke. After the closing of the New

York Stock Exchange for more than four months, there followed some years of prosperity, then a series of surprise business failures, along with the sinking of the SS Lusitania and our entrance into World War I. All went well until 1920, when stock market prices, due to very high interest rates, had another collapse. This was quickly corrected and the stock market continued to advance until it reached an all-time high in 1929. The unexpected event of this time was the business collapse in Europe with the continued withdrawal of gold, climaxed by the very sudden failure of the Austrian Credit-Anstalt with startling repercussions thru-

out the world. Then followed several years of depression, with which readers are well acquainted. The stock market for four years had a partial rebound up to 1937.

Beginning in 1938 there was a definite recovery in business throughout World War II, but this did not help the stock market much until 1942. With the exception of the severe short readjustment in 1945 and the 1952 steel strike, our country has enjoyed prosperity for about 19 years, with full employment. This has been due to the growth of the installment business, price and wage increases and guarantees, generous pensions, and the easy

terms for building and purchasing homes.

I agree with Burton Crane that there is nothing now in sight to cause a collapse; but some "unexpected event" may prick the bubble as it has done so many times before.

Typing paper at The Herald.

LIGHT GRAZING PAYS.

Moderate grazing of land in the Great Plains region is more profitable in the long run than either too heavy or too light grazing. Twenty years of research at the U. S. Livestock Experiment Station in Montana has furnished the proof, says A. H. Walker, extension range specialist.

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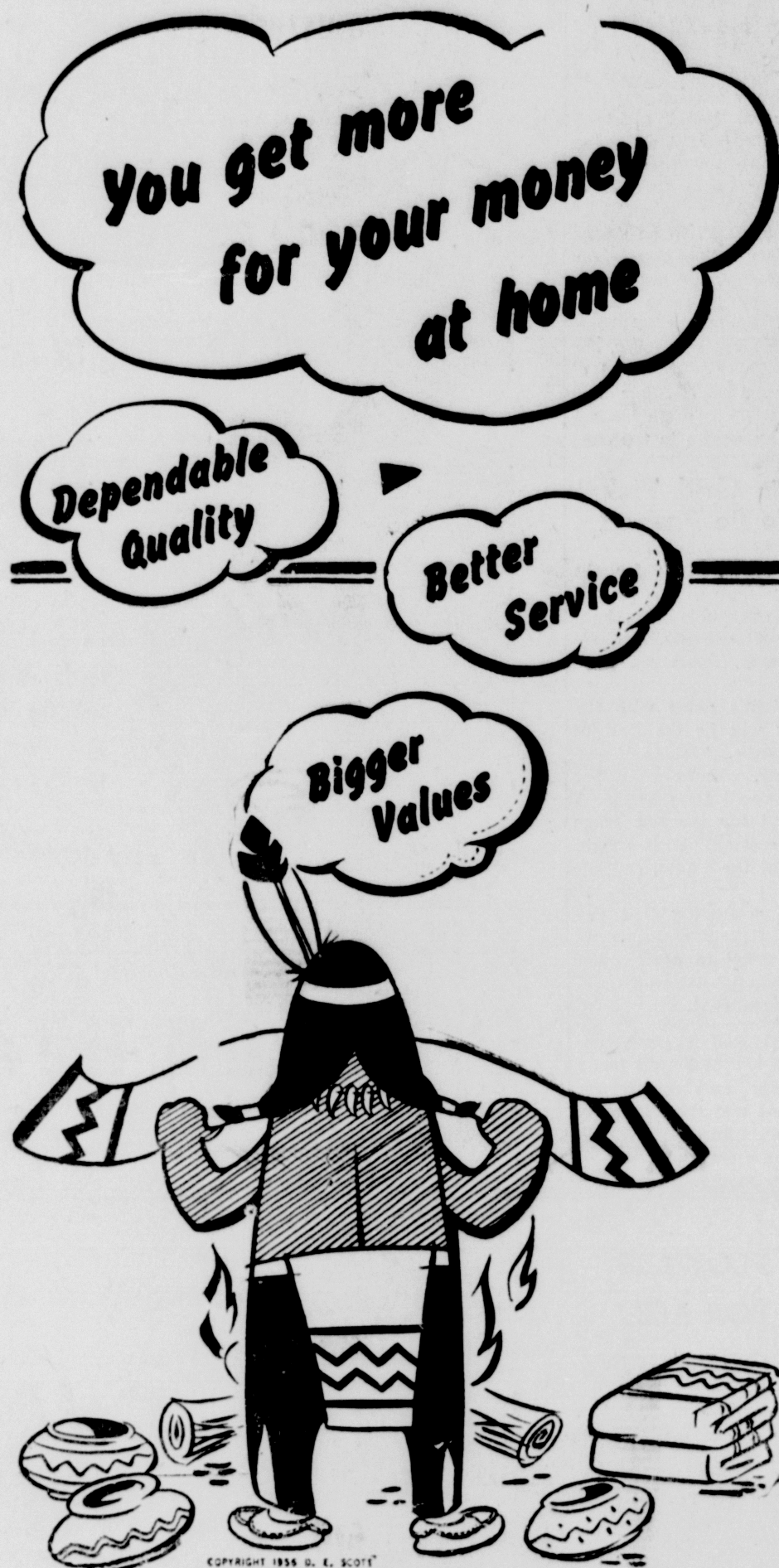
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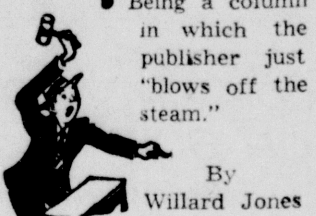
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Being a column in which the publisher just "blows off the steam."

By Willard Jones

J. A. HILL, former long time resident of the Hamlin community, writes from Long Beach, California, renewing his subscription to Your Home Town Paper.

"I want to keep up with my home town, as I understand it is growing nicely," he writes.

WORDS OF THE WISE are often the means of new inspiration and encouragement. So we reproduce a few collected here and there recently:

The wisdom of the wise and the experience of ages may be preserved by quotation.—Disraeli.

Don't mistake pleasure for happiness. They are a different breed of dogs.—Josh Billings.

Two persons cannot long be friends if they cannot forgive each other's little failings.—Bryce.

Mere words are cheap and plenty enough, but ideas that rouse and set multitudes thinking come as gold from the mines.—A. Owen Penny.

Countries are well cultivated, not as they are fertile, but as they are free.—Montesquieu.

The empires of the future are the empires of the mind.—Winston Churchill.

From the little spark may burst a mighty flame.—Dante.

HORACE BROWN has become one of the town's best snooters, he and his associates at school aver. And, first thing you know, the Liquor Control Board may be offering him a job.

When it developed several days ago that an odor in the storeroom of the Hamlin Elementary School cafeteria reeked of something akin to a brewery, Brown, who works at the cafeteria, was assigned to the job to investigate.

After snooping and sniffing for some time he found that some canned tomato puree had fermented in a can and burst the container, sending the odor throughout the food storage room.

Brown declares that, after several hours of airing, he has the storeroom smelling like a storeroom should again.

Phew-wee on the puree!

ANOTHER BATCH of material is being lifted from the interesting column written by Foxtail Johnson in the Texas Sheep and Goat Raiser Magazine, printed at San Angelo.

Population of our community graveyard is sure buildin' up, and the seminary society is offerin' a fancy prize to the thousandth person to get buried there. My wife says she sure hopes I win it.

Found a 1942 dollar and a 1922 dollar watch in some old pants today. One's about as useful for buyin' things as the other is for tellin' time.

Mallinkoff lost out 'cause he could not solve the farm problem. Sure different over here, where everybody solves the farm problem three times a week.

Only chance I ever had to make money was to work for it, and of course, I'm above that sort of thing.

No wonder Ike goes off and plays golf with Republicans. The Democrats won't play ball with him.

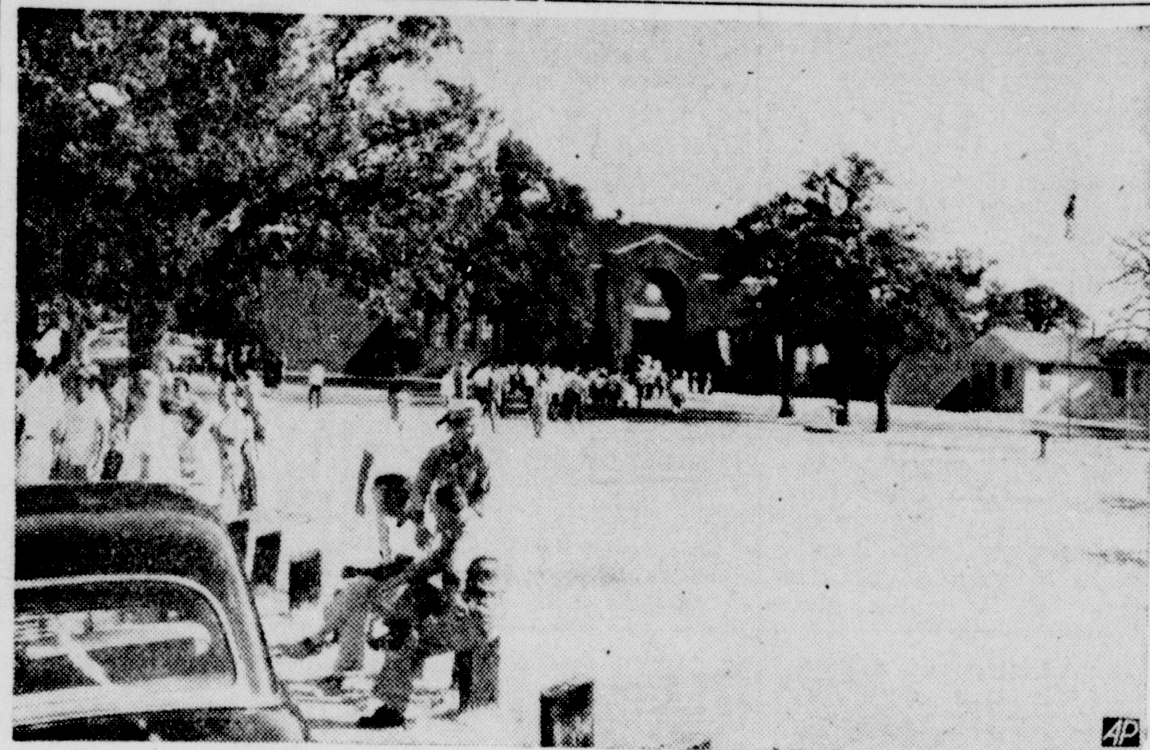
DONALD WELLMAN, who Sunday is scheduled to deliver his final sermon as pastor of the Hamlin Church of the Nazarene, before he spoke at the Tuesday noon luncheon of the Hamlin Lions Club, related the story about a mediocre golfer who bantered a golf professional to betting on a game.

After beginning with a \$1 a hole wager, the mediocre golfer finally raised the ante to \$10 a hole with a little badgering, even against the advice of the pro who admitted he shot a mighty good game.

"It's a deal," said the golfer. "If you'll give me a look-out at each tee." The pro readily agreed. Then, just as the pro started to tee off, the MG would yell at the top of his voice, "Look out!" The pro probably lost, Wellman concluded.

AUSTIN SIBURT, not to be out-golfed by his fellow minister, told of the dentist golfer, who on leaving for the golf course one afternoon, told his office girl that he had an important appointment.

"I've got to go out in the country to fill 18 cavities this afternoon," he informed the girl.



GUARDING AGAINST INTEGRATION—A group of townspeople (left) keep watch at the edge of the school yard at Mansfield as white students enter the building in the background to register for the school term. On flag pole at right is a negro effigy found hanging, the second one in the past two days, as people in the area protest a federal court order to admit negroes into white classes.

Winter Wheat Growers May Put Acreage in Soil Reserve

Deadline Set for September 21 for Farmer Sign-Up

Wheat acreage reserve program is available to "old" wheat growers of the Hamlin area and elsewhere. The Herald is advised this week in a release from the Texas Agricultural Stabilization and Conservation Committee.

Any producer who has a regular wheat acreage allotment may take part in the soil bank's acreage program for the 1957 winter wheat crop. Robert Shrauner, chairman of the Texas ASC committee, declared. Producers on farms which receive an allotment as a "new farm" for the 1957 wheat crop, however, are not eligible for participation in the 1957 acreage reserve program.

Payments under the program will be made for reducing the acreage of winter wheat below the amount of the allotment, designating in a written agreement a specified part of the allotment acreage as acreage to be "reserved" from production. Land so designated may not be cropped or grazed for the period of the agreement.

Rate of payment for wheat acreage place in the acreage reserve varies by counties. The amount of the payment will be based on the normal yield for the farm or the normal yield for the designated acreage, whichever is the smaller.

The acreage reserve agreement must be signed not only by the farm operator, but also—if the operator is a share tenant—by each person who as owner or landlord has control of the acreage reserve land or who is to receive compensation under the agreement. Provision is made for properly protecting the interests of tenants and share-croppers under the program.

If any winter wheat is grown on the farm this fall, September 21 is the deadline for signing agreements to place 1947 crop wheat acreage allotment under the soil bank's acreage reserve.

Tommy Carpenter Turns Game Hunter

Tommy Carpenter, son of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Carpenter of Hamlin, has turned big game hunter.

At least that is what one would gather, judging by a picture which Tommy has sent his parents, showing Tommy beside skins of two mountain lions which he recently bagged on a hunting expedition in Bolivia, South America.

Young Carpenter is employed by the United Geophysical Company in exploration work in South America. His present headquarters are at La Paz, Bolivia. The hunt was near Carandayti, about 70 miles southeast of La Paz.



LEAVING next week for Oklahoma City, where he has accepted the pastorate of Trinity Church of the Nazarene is Rev. Donald M. Wellman (above), who has been pastor of the Hamlin Church of the Nazarene since June, 1955.

Donald Wellman Accepts Pastorate in Oklahoma City

Rev. Donald M. Wellman, pastor of the Hamlin Church of the Nazarene for 15 months, last week resigned the pastorate effective next Sunday, September 9. He announced he had accepted the pastorate of the Trinity Church of the Nazarene in Oklahoma City and will report to that church next week.

Rev. Wellman came to the Hamlin Church in June, 1955, following Rev. Howard M. Smith. He and his wife have done a fine work during their ministry, declare leaders of the congregation. The church membership has increased from 64 to 110, and attendance at services has increased accordingly. Finances of the church have increased about 60 per cent. A new educational building has been erected at the rear of the church auditorium at the corner of Southwest First Street and Avenue D.

The church has named William Hanna, 27-year-old native of Texas, to succeed Wellman. He will move to Hamlin about October 1. A more complete story on Hanna will be carried in a later issue of The Herald.

Mmes. Madden and Nix Buy Flower Shop

Consummation of a deal made last week put two new owners in charge of the Hamlin Flower Shop. Mmes. Hollis Madden and Truman Nix purchased the interest of Mrs. Minnie Day, who has operated the shop for the past five years.

Mrs. Nix, wife of the football coach of Hamlin High School, is an experienced florist, having operated a shop at Andrews before moving to Hamlin. Mrs. Madden plans to soon attend a florists' clinic to learn techniques of the business.

Enrollments Hit Total of 1,018 in Hamlin Schools

Enrollment on the first day of school Tuesday totaled 1,018 students in the Hamlin school system according to tabulations made by Superintendent C. F. Cook. Still further increases are expected as the new term progresses, the superintendent says.

Enrollment by grades follows: First, 91; second, 76; third, 90; fourth, 82; fifth, 79; sixth, 67; seventh, 77; eighth, 68; ninth, 64; tenth, 69; eleventh, 47; twelfth, 52; and DePriest Colored School enrollment totaled 156.

Superintendent Cook reports that a fine spirit by the students was manifested through the school on the opening day, and he predicts a very successful term.

Cook repeats his expressed desire to have the cooperation of all the parents of the community. He welcomes counsel and constructive advice about the problems of the school and about any student problem, he says.

Dan Rimmer Downs Bobcat Near Hamlin

What was intended to be a stroll through the pasture where a rabbit might be sighted by Dan Wimmer Monday turned out to be a new hunting experience, when the 16-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. L. D. Rimmer.

The lad, hunting in a pasture near the Rimmer home, two miles north of town, flushed a bobcat and downed him with his 22-rifle. The beautiful animal weighed about 40 pounds.



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John Lea Resigns City Engineer Job For Army Place

John L. Lea, city coordinator and engineer, last week-end resigned his position, effective September 15, city officials announced this week.

Lea told a Herald reporter that he had been offered and had accepted a more lucrative position with the Army Engineering Corps and that he would be stationed at the regional office of that government organization at Albuquerque, New Mexico. He will report for duty at Albuquerque on September 17.

Lea came to Hamlin February 1 to accept his first municipal engineering position. He succeeded Roy Dunlap, who had been the city's first full time engineer.

During Lea's tenure the present city hall was purchased and remodeled under his supervision, including the installation of jail facilities. He has also supervised a revised curb and gutter program sponsored by the city following purchase of steel forms and other equipment by the city for the continuation of a projected city water drainage program started two years ago.

Several members of the City Council expressed regret to The Herald over Lea's resignation. No official meeting of the group has been held since the resignation.

Rigdon Edwards to Speak Monday Eve To Methodist Men

Rigdon Edwards, popular Methodist layman of Sweetwater, will be the Methodist Men's speaker at the First Methodist Church Monday evening at 7:30 p. m., announce leaders of the men's group.

Edwards is a graduate of McMurry College, and is Magnolia products dealer in Sweetwater. He has held the following offices: Past president of West Texas Manufacturing Association, past president of Sweetwater Rotary Club, past district governor of the 183rd District of Rotary International. He has held several civic responsibilities as well as church offices.

Everyone is invited to come and hear this church, community and civic leader, declares Carl Murrell, president of the Methodist Men of the First Methodist Church.

RAIN-MAKING TALK

Various aspects of rain-making will be discussed frankly and objectively by a representative of the U. S. Weather Bureau during the second "Water for Texas Conference" to be held at Texas A. & M. College September 17-19.



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Ground Observers to Be Organized in Area



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State Convention To Decide Winner

Voters of the Hamlin area are eyeing with interest next Monday's Texas state Democratic convention, to be held at Fort Worth, and several Democratic leaders of Jones County are expected to attend the festivities.

The convention will declare the winner of the governor's race, and high courts of the state have indicated they will accept the decision of the convention as official, despite charges of election errors.

The complete but unofficial Texas Election Bureau tabulation gives Senator Price Daniel 698,125 vote to Ralph Yarborough's 694,578.

Incidentally, Jones County voters, along with most of West Texas, gave Yarborough a majority in the August 25 run-off election.

Daniel's lead of 3,547 votes out of 1,392,703 cast amounted to a margin of one out of about every 400 votes, an improvement from the next-to-last tabulation. It was a formidable lead, even though the second closest in Texas gubernatorial history, because the TEB ran a recheck of its final figures before announcing it.

Until the August 25 voting the closest governor's race had been in 1932, when Miriam (Ma) Ferguson defeated Ross Sterling by 3,798 votes.

Three new teachers are on the 11-member faculty this year. They are Mrs. John Beck of Sylvester, who will teach high school English; Gene Brock, who comes from Chillicothe, and Luther Walker, Methodist pastor at McCaulley, who will teach in the grades.

Returning teachers from last year's faculty are Mr. and Mrs. T. E. Green, O. F. Hill, Mrs. Fred Kemp, Mrs. Rosa Lee Woods, Mrs. Treasurer Rector and Mr. and Mrs. Bill Robinson.

The McCaulley school plant has undergone considerable improvement during the summer, Green reports. Besides refinishing of the classrooms, some major repairs have been made on the school's gymnasium.

Harold L. Williams Gets Master's Degree

Harold Lee Williams, teacher of science and social studies in Hamlin High School for several years, received the master of education degree in commencement exercises Friday, August 24, at East Texas State Teachers College at Commerce, according to a release to The Herald from the school. Williams' major subject was education.

Candidates for the masters degree were presented by Dean Frank Young, and degrees were conferred by President James G. Gee.

Singers to Converge At Dovie Tonight

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Importance of Unit Stressed as Enemy Grows

Hamlin unit of the Ground Observer Corps is scheduled to be organized soon under auspices of the Hamlin Volunteer Fire Department, it was announced this week by officials of the volunteer firemen group.

A pre-organizational meeting has been scheduled for this (Thursday) evening at the fire station, according to James Josey, who has been named local coordinator by regional headquarters of the GOC at Dallas. Josey declares that this section of the country is the only remaining region that has not been organized, and national GOC officials have set a December 1 deadline for perfection of the organization.

The Ground Observer Corps is a civilian plane spotting organization which works with government sponsored Civilian Defense Organization in keeping posted on possible movements of enemy airplanes for defense purposes. At least line areas have had GOC organizations for several months.

The public is invited to attend Thursday evening's meeting, when Staff Sergeant Alfred Burkhalter of the Air Defense Command of Abilene will outline plans for the organization. The meeting is set to begin at 7:30 o'clock.

Service in the GOC will require not more than two hours' time per month, Josey points out. He has emphasized the urgency of the movement on the local and statewide scale by citing the growing strength of Soviet air power, which could strike death-dealing blows at any moment.

Many from Section to Attend Shrine Circus

Scores of Hamlin area people are scheduled to be among those present for the afternoon and evening performances of the Shrine Circus today (Thursday) at Stamford. Show times are 3:00 and 8:00 p. m.

Advance ticket sales have been conducted by Hamlin Shriners and others, many merchants purchasing tickets for school children.

The circus will feature famous circus stars and animals in 50 acts in a two and one-half hour performance at both shows.

Drouth Cannot Be Blamed on Cycles of Weather State Scientists After Study

While all sorts of reasons and possibilities for lack of rainfall have been heard by Hamlin area people during the past six years of sparse rainfall, they are assured by Extension Service officials that predictions of rainfall cannot be made on the basis of weather cycles of "wet and dry years."

Recent studies of 31 locations in the High and Rolling Plains of Texas show that cycles play little or no part in annual rainfall figures dating as far back as 89 years.

Drs. R. J. Hildreth and Gerald W. Thomas of the Texas Agricultural Experiment Station, who made the studies, state that an optimist can find traces of cycles at some locations, but no statistical significance of cycles is revealed in the records.

"Average or normal rainfall seldom occurs," Dr. Hildreth said. "The records indicate that farmers and ranchers in the High and Rolling Plains should figure that more years—52 to 69 per cent—will be below average in rainfall than years above average."

Prolonged drouths have occurred on the High and Rolling Plains at least two or three times during the period weather records are available. The famous drouth of the 1930s, which led to the dust bowl period, shows up in records at most locations. Another bad drouth period occurred around 1917. At most locations the re-

cent drouth began in 1951 and is the longest and most severe on record. Records go back to 1866 at Abilene.

In most cases, it is not the first year of low rainfall that is disastrous, but the two, three or four years in a row of low rainfall. During the dust bowl period Amarillo had eight consecutive years of below average rainfall.

The study and publication of the results, "Farming and Ranching Risks as Influenced by Rainfall," is the first of a planned series to include several other areas of Texas, the Edwards Plateau, Trans-Pecos and Rio Grande Plain, where drouth also has affected farm and ranch income.

Who's New This Week

Mr. and Mrs. Larry A. Reynolds of Odessa are announcing the birth on September 3 of a son in a Kermit hospital. The youngster who had not been named Tuesday, weighed six pounds one-half ounce. Mrs. Reynolds is the former Eleanor Huchingson, daughter of former School Superintendent and Mrs. Ira Huchingson. Mr. and Mrs. Raleigh Reynolds of Hamlin are the paternal grandparents.

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CITIZENS INTERFERING WITH FIRE FIGHTERS

Several West Texas towns are endeavoring to cope with a problem that has harassed the volunteer fire departments for months—the scores of automobilists who persist in going to the scene of fires, often interfering with their effective handling of fire fighting and hampering the traffic on the way to the fires. Hamlin firemen have had to contend with this situation numerous times—and the matter seems not to be improving.

Out at McCamey the situation has become so serious, says The McCamey News, that the mayor and City Council have clamped down on offenders with stiff fines for motorists who follow the fire trucks to fires.

The council's action to clamp down on what Mayor Olin Smith called "excitement hunters" came after three members of the McCamey Volunteer Fire Department aired their grievances before the municipal governing body. The three-man delegation declared that traffic en route to a recent fire was so heavy that it was impossible for some members of the fire department to reach the location of the blaze. The traffic, stated to have been two abreast in some places, slowed the arrival of many of the firemen at the scene.

Hamlin firemen have been hampered on a number of occasions in getting fire fighting

equipment to the scene of fires, declare members of the department. Some narrow escapes from serious traffic accidents have been averted by the firemen. This hazard alone should prompt citizens of the community to cooperate with the firemen, who are giving a noteworthy service to the community, in refraining from going directly to the fires. City ordinances prohibit non-firemen from getting closer than 300 feet to a fire, firemen declare. Moreover, city traffic regulations point out that vehicles on the move when the fire siren is sounded should move to the curb and stop until the fire fighting apparatus shall have passed. In rare instances has this regulation been observed.

Surely it is an unthinking citizenry that will not cooperate with the firemen when a blaze breaks out. If people will only stop to consider that, if the fire is at their own home, they should be interested to see that the firemen be given every consideration in seeing that they get to the blaze before it gets out of control.

Firemen also remind citizens that it is a violation of law for an automobile driver to drive his vehicle over a fire hose. The inner structure of a hose will often give way after being run over—and fire hose today is not being given away by a long shot.

The Ball Is Rolling

It is encouraging to be able to report that sentiment for doing something about our confiscatory federal income tax is growing—and growing in official circles as well as among the millions of other people who must do the paying.

A short time ago, for instance, a great deal of approval was given to a American Weekly article by former Commissioner of Internal Revenue Coleman Andrews, in which he urged that the income tax be repealed and abandoned, and that an entirely new and more equitable system of taxation be devised to take its place.

Other authorities do not believe reform should go this far. But they do agree that major changes are necessary. Representative Daniel Reed, of the all-important House ways and means committee, states that the top bracket income tax rate, now 91 per cent, should be greatly reduced, that all bracket rates should be graduated downward to conform to the new top rate, and that the law should be simplified by the elimination of as many special exemptions as possible. Representative Mills of Arkansas, also member of ways and means, has expressed similar views.

Actually, even very substantial reductions in top bracket rates would have relatively small effect on government revenue—for the reason that comparatively few people are in these income groups, and their payments can not make much of a dent in our incredibly big federal budgets. Yet confiscatory taxation hurts the whole country by depriving it of investments that otherwise would be made in productive enterprise—and would create jobs and opportunities for us all.

The ball of tax reform is rolling. May it swiftly gather momentum.

Calories in House Work

If you picture yourself an overweight housewife, don't blame yourself too much. Today, one-story ramblers eliminate stair climbing; automatic dryers keep you from hanging out the wash; a vacuum replaces the broom.

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You Can't Clip TV

Dorothy Kilgallen, the columnist and television star, recently had something pleasant to say about newspapers as reading matter.

"You can read on a train crossing the desert on a plane or 17,000 feet above the Atlantic—no static, no fading, no blips," says Mrs. Kilgallen. "You can read in a bathtub or while waiting onto a jet in a crowded bus. You can read as much or as little as you want, as fast or as slowly as you want."

"And if you read something you like, you can tear it out and save it to read again some day. I enjoy radio and television, and am gratefully employed by both, but I must admit they have their drawbacks. Did you ever try to clip a television program and paste it in your scrapbook?"

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Editorial of the Week

BULLETS WILL NOT BE ANSWER

The fierce riots in Poznan, Poland—worst to occur anywhere in the communist orbit since the death of Stalin—have been quelled with customary red brutality. But it would be an error indeed to believe that the reasons for the dramatic outbreak have been removed or that there is little possibility of similar events occurring elsewhere in the satellite lands.

For years the interests of the working class in the occupied countries, as in Russia itself, have been sacrificed to the welfare of the state, especially to an all-consuming drive to build up overwhelming military might. In a land of free enterprise such as America, it is possible to have both guns and bread—and many other desirable things. Not so in the communist dictatorships. Regardless of the harsh effects on living standards, armaments come first—consumer goods and the people's welfare second, if at all.

But those so frightfully subjugated and exploited will not suffer forever without protest and a demand for adequate food and decent living conditions. Communist leaders have put down the rebellion with ruthless force. But some day will surely come an accounting—an outbreak for which their guns will be no answer.—Grit Magazine.

RECALLING Other Years

☆ Being news items taken from old files of Your Home - Town Newspaper. The Herald.

TWENTY YEARS AGO.

News notes of interest in the Hamlin community 20 years ago included the following, reprinted from the issue of The Hamlin Herald dated September 4, 1936:

After 20 years in the old rock building now as the city hall, the offices of the City of Hamlin were this week moved to the Walker building on Central Avenue, formerly occupied by the City Grocery.

Mrs. Myrl Preston attended a beauty style show at San Angelo last week.

Maxine Mayo has returned to her home at Las Vegas, New Mexico, after spending the summer with her uncle, W. S. Graham, and family.

The four girls in Hamlin had ginned 465 bales of cotton up to Wednesday of this week, a good record for this time of year.

Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Day of Rotan are moving to Hamlin. Day will be associated with his brother, John T. Day, in the loan business.

Prices in the Joe A. Simpson Grocery ad include: Good steak, 10 cents pound; apples, two for five cents; Chase & Sanborn coffee, one-pound can, 25 cents; baked fruit pies, five cents each.

H. A. Longino is the new pastor of the First Methodist Church.

TEN YEARS AGO.

Among goings-on in the Hamlin community 10 years ago were the following, as recorded in the issue of The Hamlin Herald dated September 6, 1946:

The government over the weekend cancelled its order requiring "dark" bread and flour, a ruling that had been made during the war crisis.

Most Hamlin business firms will remain open on Labor Day, a survey this week by The Herald reveals.

H. L. (Harold) Williams has been named high school principal by the school board in recent action.

Rains Last Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday in the Hamlin sector measured more than two inches. Rainfall for the year now totals 8.21, a little more than half the average.

Enrollment of more than 1,100 students in the Hamlin Schools is expected this year, according to I. R. Hutchinson, superintendent. He said 1,107 students had been enumerated in the recent census of the district.

Joan Culbertson, bride-elect of Edward Boaz, was honoree at a breakfast shower in the country home of Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Butcher Wednesday morning at 9:00 o'clock.

FIVE YEARS AGO.

Among happenings of the Hamlin community five years ago were the following, reproduced in brief from the issue of The Hamlin Herald dated September 7, 1951:

Gean and Dean Witt, Jack Russell and Brad Rowland Sr. have become members of the Abilene Football Officials Association and will help officiate West Central Texas high school games this fall.

Prewitt Motor Company, local Chrysler-Plymouth dealer, will construct a new building to house the agency at the corner of Southeast Avenue A and First Street.

Rains first of the week measured 5.81 inches, according to the government gauge maintained by Bill Rountree at the city pump station. These were the best rains that have fallen in the area in many months.

Nearly 1,000 Hamlin territory people had their chests examined by the mobile x-ray unit sponsored by the Texas Tuberculosis Association, during its stay last Thursday, Friday and Saturday at Hamlin Motor Company.

ONE YEAR AGO.

News items in the Hamlin community of one year ago included the following, condensed from the issue of The Hamlin Herald dated September 2, 1955:

Prospects for fair crops of feed and cotton in the Hamlin sector are fast fading with the continued lack of rain.

Prospect of plenty of cotton pickers for the smaller-than-average cotton crop is good.

Ban on all-night parking on the principal streets of downtown Hamlin will be strictly enforced, declare city officials. The ban has been set from 1:00 to 5:00 a. m. so that the streets may be swept with the new mobil sweep unit.

Name of L. H. (Herman) McBride has been filed for a place on the ticket of next Tuesday's name a new member of the City Council.

Men and Women in Armed Services To Be Brought Under Social Security

Men and women on active duty in the armed forces will be brought under the old age and survivors' insurance provisions of the social security act on a permanent, contributory basis on January 1, 1957. This results from the servicemen's act which was signed into law on August 1 of this year by President Eisenhower.

The social security tax to be levied will be on the service person's basic pay only, and will not be imposed on such items as the value of food, shelter, various allowances, and special pay. The rate will be the same as though the individual were a civilian employee of a commercial firm. The federal government will pay the employer portion of the tax.

Special procedures will be set up for the issuance of social security account number cards to members of the armed forces, making it unnecessary for them to contact social security district offices to apply for their cards. Instructions as to their procedure will be furnished them through their service units, as soon as it is necessary to insure proper actions.

Active service on or after January 1, 1957, may carry with it the former gratuitous \$160 per month wage credits for military service performed any time in the 1950-56 period even if that same service is creditable toward a retirement payment from the service department. There are some special provisions regarding use of the gratuitous period or periods by either the civil service retirement system or the social security system, but not both.

Also, beginning with January, 1957, applications for survivor benefits filed with either the Social Security Administration or the Veterans Administration by survivors of servicemen will constitute applications for benefits from both agencies, with proofs submitted to one agency being made available to the other.

An informative leaflet on these provisions will soon be available, and members of the armed forces

desiring a copy should write the Social Security Administration, District Office, Abilene, Texas, giving their names and mailing addresses. Copies will be mailed to them as soon as a supply is received by the Abilene office.

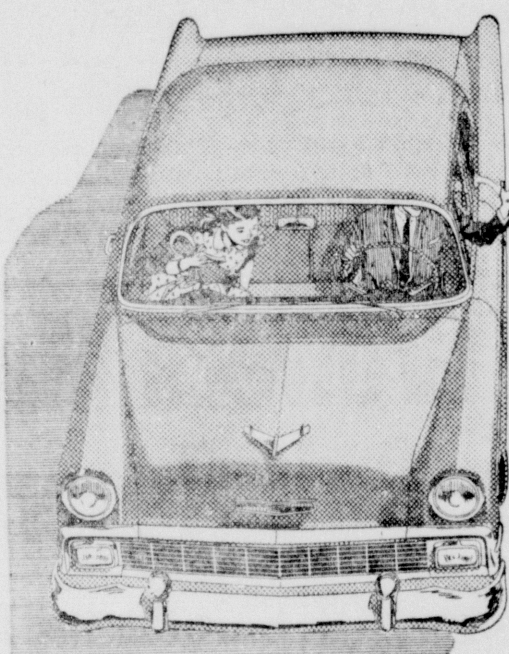
Rubber bands at The Herald

POOR WHEAT DISCOUNTED.

The U. S. Department of Agriculture has released a list of 23 varieties of wheat which are classified as undesirable because of inferior milling or baking qualities. They will be discounted 20 cents per bushel in price support rates on the 1957 wheat crop.



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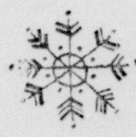
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Back-to-School Party Slated Saturday Eve At Methodist Church

First Methodist Church youths of Hamlin are sponsoring a back-to-school party in the church basement Saturday evening, from 7:30 to 10:00 o'clock. Directed recreation will be under the leadership of Mary Willingham and Judy Harden. There will also be recreation such as table tennis, shuffle board, checkers, dominoes, etc.

Publicity posters and announcements are being made at the Hamlin High School and Junior High School. Ages 12 and up are invited to the party.

Decorations are directed by Janis Richardson. The clean-up crew is under the chairmanship of Darris Egger Jr. Refreshments will be served at the closing of the party. Linda Carlton and

1,000 Farmers Killed In Tractor Accidents

Tractor accidents kill about 1,000 farmers every year, according to the 1956 edition of "Accident Facts," the statistical yearbook of the National Safety Council, which is just off the press.

One-third of the tractor deaths occur in highway accidents while the tractor is being moved from one place to another.

A song is more lasting than the riches of the world.—Padriac Colum.

Linda Dwiggins are in charge of refreshments.

In deference to the party at the Methodist Church, the regular weekly youth fellowship of the First Baptist Church, scheduled for Saturday nights, has been called off this week.



ORCHID FOR MISS TEXAS—Miss Texas, Barbara Murry of Houston, receives an orchid from Governor Allan Shivers as she prepares to board a plane in Houston for Atlantic City, New Jersey, and the Miss America contest.

Attendance at City Sunday Schools Sags Sunday for Holidays

Labor Day holidays no doubt influenced attendance at the Sunday Schools of Hamlin Sunday when the total of the 13 churches reporting showed a drop of 15 from the previous Sunday. The 1,273 total, however, was three more than the year-ago figure.

Totals by churches for September 2, August 26 and a year ago follow:

	Sept. 2	Aug. 26	Year Ago
Faith Methodist.....	57	54	26
Assembly of God.....	39	28	45
Pentecostal.....	12	18	35
Foursquare.....	68	48	78
Calvary Baptist.....	36	54	41
Church of Christ.....	173	167	145
Sunset Baptist.....	46	58	35
First Methodist.....	204	172	194
Ch. of Nazarene.....	90	108	88
Mexican Baptist.....	75	59	69
Oak Gr. Col. Baptist.....	51	68	28
No. Cen. Av. Baptist.....	84	91	50
First Baptist.....	338	362	436
Totals.....	1273	1288	1270

It was the tiny town of Chireno in Nacogdoches County where oil was first discovered in Texas.

There are more than 2,000 oil wells within the limits of Oklahoma City or close by.

Hay Fever Sufferers Declare Ailment Is Year-Around Affair

Hay fever season is a year-around affair in Texas, as many Hamlin area sufferers will verify.

The reason behind this sad state of affairs, says the Department of Health, is Texas' wide range of climatic and soil conditions which produce an assortment of offending flora—trees and shrubs and grasses.

Ragweed pollen is still the biggest enemy of the watery-eyed set, department officials say, but mountain cedar, scrub elm and a variety of other plants and grasses also cause their share of sneezing misery.

There are some bright spots in Texas, though. Department hygienists say pollen counts in El Paso, Amarillo and other West Texas towns have been "amazingly low."

From mid-winter until early spring, susceptible people from Dallas southward will be affected by the pollen of cedar, a profusely growing tree with a bad habit of pollinating in late autumn and winter rather than in spring.

Fall hay fever sufferers probably have the scrub elm to blame for their troubles. A late summer and autumn pollinator, the elm is common over most of the state, but is particularly profuse in the bottom lands of the Guadalupe and Trinity Rivers. The mesquite, a member of the legume family, causes "minor" allergic trouble in West Texas during May, June and July.

In arid parts of Central and West Texas, Russian thistle is a leading cause of inhalant allergy. Other local causes are sugar beets and Palmer's amaranth. Sage pollen is a potential factor in West Texas, but information on distribution is not available. Sand sagebrush, a dominant native plant in the Panhandle, is suspected as a trouble-maker.

How do you get relief from hay fever? A sea voyage during "your" season would do it. So would staying in an air filtered room. But since neither action is practical, check with your doctor about a series of "pollen extract" shots.

RAINS NOT IN CYCLES.
Predictions of rainfall cannot be made on the basis of weather cycles of "wet and dry years." Recent studies of rainfall records at 31 locations dating as far back as 89 years in Texas' High and Rolling Plains by the Texas Agricultural Experiment Station show that cycles play little or no part in annual rainfall figures.

Net Sales to Celotex Corporation Hit New High in Nine-Month

Net sales of the Celotex Corporation in the nine months ended July, including those of the Hamlin plant, were the highest for any like period in company history, O. S. Mansell, president, reported from Chicago. Net income increased 39 per cent over earnings in the corresponding nine months a year ago.

The record Celotex sales totaled \$57,546,477, up 14 per cent from the previous high of \$50,399,156 set in the same nine-month period last year.

Earnings were \$4,565,561 after income tax provisions compared with \$3,275,480 in the like three-quarters a year ago. After preferred dividend requirements of \$192,647, the earnings were equal to \$4.97 a share on \$78,651 shares of common stock outstanding, as against \$3.50 a share on the same number of shares in the comparable nine months last year.

School Bus Routes to Be About Same as Last Year, Says Cook

School bus routes for the Hamlin Schools will be the same as last year as far as possible, it was announced this week by Superintendent C. F. Cook. Drivers have been employed, and announcement will be made in next week's Herald as to the routes and drivers, Cook said.

The city bus will be discontinued. Students formerly riding this bus will be served with the regular buses. Children who rode the city bus last year paid for that service. There will be no charge to ride the regular buses.

It will be necessary to establish stops in the city for the new bus schedule. Children will have to meet the bus at the stops. "We are going to plan these stops well so as to serve all," declared the superintendent.

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Junior Exhibitors at State Fair to Cash In

More than 2,000 junior livestock and poultry exhibitors will compete for rewards that probably will exceed \$200,000 in the junior livestock shows and sales during the second week of the 1956 State Fair of Texas at Dallas October 6 to 21.

Last year 1,074 boys and girls from all over Texas went home with money jingling in their jeans from the sale of livestock and

Crimemobile Begins Long Tour of State

Crashing of a bottle of "truth serum" by Suzanne and Maranine Shepperd, twin daughters of Attorney General and Mrs. John Ben Shepperd, launched the Texas

poultry that brought a grand total of \$176,974.51 over the auction block. These receipts were in addition to all cash premiums and sales by private treaty after sifting.

Law Enforcement Foundation's new crimemobile last week at special dedication ceremonies at the Texas Department of Public Safety at Austin.

The crimemobile is a 40-foot rolling anti-crime classroom with modern crime detection laboratory dedicated to the cause of better law enforcement in Texas. It has begun a tour of the state, and is scheduled to make a stop at Hamlin later in the year. It will primarily visit schools and civic organizations.

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After more than five years of operating the Hamlin Flower Shop, I have sold the business to Mmes. Hollis Madden and Truman Nix, who will continue to operate the firm in the same location on Southwest Third Street. I commend the new owners to my former patrons.

As I sever this connection with the Hamlin Flower Shop I would be an ingrate if I failed to express my heart-felt thanks to all the patrons of the business during my ownership. Your considerations shall ever be cherished.

Mrs. John Ed Day

FORMERLY AT HAMLIN FLOWER SHOP

Thanks! for the Welcome

We at H. & M. Tire and Appliance Store were overwhelmed by the reception our new store received at its formal opening last week-end when hundreds of people of the Hamlin area visited our place. We sincerely appreciate this hearty welcome, and trust that we may serve you in a worthy manner in the years to come.

In the door prize distribution the following awards were made to registrants:

- First Prize, Gas Range—Carrol Miller of Peacock
- Second Prize, Vacuum Cleaner—Travis Boatwright
- Third Prize, Coffee Maker—Mrs. Eddie B. Hopper
- Fourth Prize, Electric Mixer—Mrs. G. L. Masser
- Fifth Prize, Electric Iron—Mrs. Lee Hastings

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The Herald's Page for Women



Martha Hubbard Becomes Bride of Raymond Clayton in Saturday Rituals

Double ring wedding ceremonies at the Hamlin First Baptist Church Saturday evening at 6:00 o'clock united in marriage Martha Vahee Hubbard of Hamlin and Raymond Ennis Clayton of Lubbock. Rev. W. C. Rea, pastor of the Calvary Baptist Church, was the officiating minister.

The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Travis Hubbard of Hamlin, and young Clayton is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Ennis Clayton of Dalhart.

Twin bouquets of white chrysanthemums interspersed with greenery and candelabra decorated the altar. Wedding music was rendered by Mrs. Marvin Carlton, organist, who also accompanied Ed Higgins, soloist, when he sang "September Song" and "Because."

Given in marriage by her father, the bride was dressed in a ballerina length dress of embossed organza featuring a net overskirt. The bodice was fashioned with low scalloped neckline. The waist length illusion veil was attached to a pearl tiara. She carried a white orchid atop a white Bible.

Maid-of-honor was Mary Jo Hubbard, sister of the bride. She wore a white faille dress designed

with low neckline and push-up sleeves. Her flowers were pale pink asters.

Bridesmaids were Laveta French of Tuxedo and Alta Lois Lee of Midland. They wore pale pink dresses and carried white asters. Ella Louise Clayton of Dalhart, sister of the bridegroom, and Judy Harden of Hamlin lighted candles.

Best man was Jerry Williams of Lubbock. Ken Wilson and Glen Smith, both of Lubbock, served as ushers.

The bride, who graduated last May from Hamlin High School, has been employed at the Farmers & Merchants National Bank. The bridegroom, a graduate of Texas Technological College, is working on his master's degree there, and is employed by the Plains Cooperative Oil Mill in Lubbock.

For a wedding trip to Colorado Springs, Colorado, Mrs. Clayton changed to a beige and black cotton suit with black accessories. The newlyweds will be at home at 2412 Avenue K in Lubbock.

Reception Follows Hubbard-Clayton Rites Saturday Eve

Following the Hubbard-Clayton wedding rites Saturday evening at the First Baptist Church, a reception for wedding attendants and friends was given by parents of the bride in the fellowship hall of the church.

The bride's serving table was laid with lace over a pink cloth and was centered with a cake in an arrangement of white chrysanthemums.

The house party included Carolyn Pace, Peggy Briscoe, Barbara Durham, Mrs. Carl Young, Mrs. A. C. Tidwell, Mrs. Edd Rodgers and Mrs. Clyde Newberry.

BUTLERS HAVE GUESTS.

Visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. M. C. Butler the past week-end were Mrs. Butler's parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. G. Bowman, and Mr. and Mrs. G. G. Bowman Jr. and four sons from Grand Prairie; her sister, Mrs. Willis Hutchingson, husband and two children of Arlington; and three of her aunts, Mrs. Johnny Martin of Throckmorton, Mrs. Joe Wheeler of Phoenix, Arizona, and Mrs. Sterling Harper of Lexington, North Carolina.



MRS. RAYMOND ENNIS CLAYTON (above) before her marriage Saturday afternoon in the First Baptist Church, was Martha Vahee Hubbard, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Travis Hubbard. After a brief honeymoon the newlyweds will be at home at 2412 Avenue K in Lubbock, where young Clayton is working on his master's degree at Texas Tech College.

Cold Milk Is One of Best Refreshments for Hot Days, Says Agent

Do you reach for something cold to drink on these hot summer afternoons? Firstly, cold milk is your best choice, both flavor-wise and nutrition-wise, according to Mary Y. Newberry, home demonstration agent. Be sure it's cold, but don't dilute it with ice cubes. Use cold glasses.

A glass of milk is refreshing any time during the day. It serves as a quick pick-up for young and old.

Milk is not fattening. An eight-ounce glass of whole milk has only 166 calories. This is just a small percentage of the 2,300 needed daily by the average woman. Skim milk has even fewer calories.

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Start now to form the milk drinking habit. Plain or dressed up with ice cream, fresh crushed fruit or syrup, milk offers lots of food values.

JENKINS VISITS RELATIVES.

Rev. John Calvin Jenkins, pastor of Hodges Baptist Church near Levelland, visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. O. L. Jenkins, last week at Hamlin. He also visited his sister, Mrs. W. A. Norris and family and the Jenkins' granddaughter, Nancy Baker, at Gainesville.

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Among the volunteers participating during the past year in Red Cross blood program activities were 4,000 physicians, 8,000 nurses, 1,000 technicians and 86,000 other volunteers.

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Relatives of Area Go To Perryman Family Reunion at Big Spring

Scores of relatives, including several from the Hamlin and McCaulley communities, attended the annual Perryman family reunion August 26 at the city park in Big Spring.

The day was spent in reminiscing, feasting, picture making and playing games.

Attendants of the get-together included Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Perryman and Billy Jack and Mr. and Mrs. Edmond Rogers and Kevin of Hamlin; Mr. and Mrs. Dock Perryman of Artesia, New Mexico; Mr. and Mrs. Jack Perryman, Sandy and Elliott, Mr. and Mrs. B. W. Gilliland, Mr. and Mrs. Pete Perryman and Ken of Big Spring; Mrs. Ruth Griffin and Jimmy of Sweetwater; Mr. and Mrs. Jim Fenton of Tahoka, Mr. and Mrs. Gilbert Steinhouser of Wilson; Mr. and Mrs. James Northcutt and Debbie of Seminole; Mr. and Mrs. Tom McCasland, Lindsey, Wayne and Gary of Midland; Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Stephenson, Vickie and Renee of Crane; Mr. and Mrs. Earl Long, Stanley and Karen, Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Cowley of Hamlin; Mrs. Lena Fay Franks and Linda of Big Spring.

VISIT IN ARIZONA.

Mr. and Mrs. L. R. Faulkenberry and Mr. and Mrs. Bonnie Bingham visited Mr. and Mrs. George Bingham and Denise of Gallup, New Mexico, and Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Lea and children at Winslow, Arizona. While in Arizona they toured the Grand Canyon, Oak Creek Canyon and Jerome, the ghost town of Arizona.

Synthetic Detergents That Foam Good Net Necessarily Better

Don't judge a synthetic detergent by the amount of foam it makes... detergent suds don't clean, declares Mary Y. Newberry, county home demonstration agent.

The amount of soap suds in laundry tub or dishpan is often used as a rough guide to indicate whether the water contains enough soap to get the clothes clean. What holds true for soap, specialists say, isn't necessarily true for all synthetic detergents.

Research shows that some of the sudsless solutions remove soil in washing clothes as well as others with lots of suds.

The cleaning ability of any detergent depends largely on two qualities: First, how much it aids water in getting soiled articles thoroughly wet so dirt can be carried away; and, secondly, how well it loosens soil and holds it in suspension until clothes are removed from washing solution.

Water alone cannot wet materials as well as water containing soap or other detergents.

Judge detergent, soap or other cleaning compound by the way it cleans—not the way it foams or suds. Foam may sometimes be a disadvantage. When mild, high-sudsing detergents are used, it is possible to get "enough suds" before you have a good cleaning concentration.

MRS. ROGERS RETURNS.

Mrs. Lillie M. Rogers returned Saturday from a two-week vacation and visit with B. A. Rogers and family at Portales, New Mexico, and Leon Rogers at Carlsbad, New Mexico.

Substitution of Simple Ingredients in Cooking Can Save the Day in Kitchen

Most every cook gets caught without a certain ingredient at one time or another. With proper know-how you can make some quick substitutions, says Mary Y. Newberry, Jones County home demonstration agent. Here are some equivalents which may help you out of a difficulty sometime:

For one cup of butter or margarine use seven-eighths cup of lard or seven-eighths cup of oil or one cup hydrogenated fat. Add about one-half teaspoon of salt with each if desired.

For one square (ounce) of chocolate substitute three or four tablespoons cocoa plus one-half tablespoon of fat.

You may use two egg yolks instead of one whole egg for thickening or baking.

In baking, if recipe calls for sweet milk and baking powder use an equal amount of sour milk plus one-half teaspoon of soda per cup. Each half teaspoon of soda with one cup of sour milk takes the place of two teaspoons of baking powder and one cup of sweet milk.

If recipe calls for sour milk in baking and you have only sweet milk, add one tablespoon vinegar or one tablespoon of lemon juice or one and three-quarters teaspoons cream of tartar to one cup of sweet milk.

For one cup of cake flour for baking substitute seven-eighths cup of all purpose flour.

One tablespoon of granulated tapioca or one-half tablespoon of corn starch is equivalent to one tablespoon of flour when used for thickening.

In baking bread, for one cup of all-purpose flour you may substitute up to one-half cup of bran or whole wheat flour, or corn meal plus enough all-purpose flour to fill cup.

BACK FROM COAST.

Mrs. T. J. Davis and daughter, Nola, returned from San Bernardino, California, where they visited their father and grandfather for two weeks. They reported it was unusually cold for California for this time of year.

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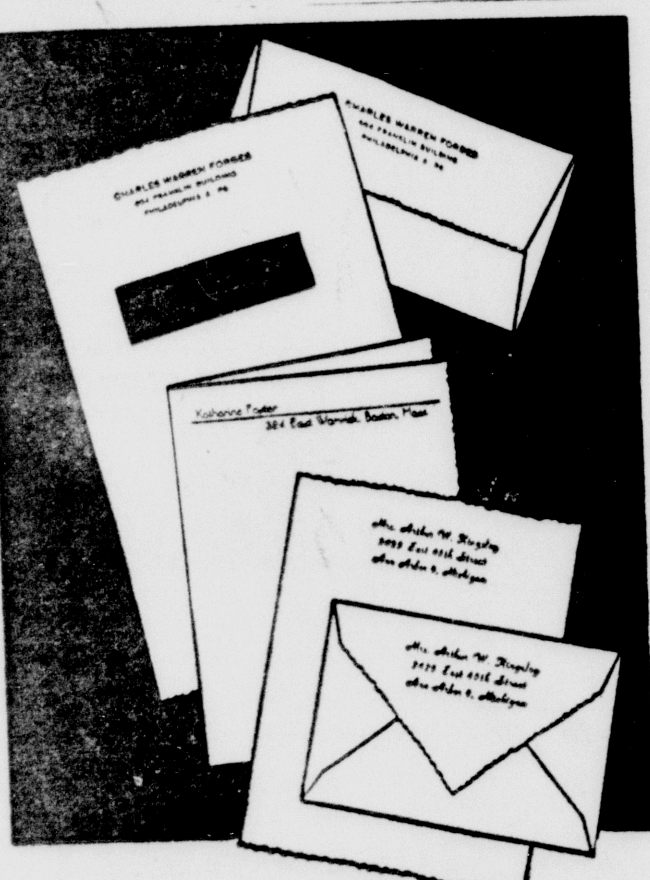
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State Capital NEWS

By Vern Sanford,
Manager, Texas Press Association

Austin.—Instead of simmering down at summer's end, Texas' political pot is boiling more furiously than ever.

New significance has been added to the already controversial state Democratic convention next week. Monday the executive committee must certify a winner in one of the most breath-takingly close gubernatorial races in Texas history.

It promises to be an even closer finish than in 1932 when Mrs. Miriam Ferguson edged out Ross Sterling by 3,798 votes.

Decision of the executive committee apparently is all important. In the Ferguson-Sterling contest courts refused to interfere with the committee ruling. They said it would delay the general election.

Would-be successors to Price Daniel didn't wait for the vacancy to develop to start scrambling for his U. S. Senate post.

Political observers predict a "real horse race" if Daniel does resign in time for a special election.

First formal announcement came from State Senator Searcy Bracewell of Houston. Bracewell promised to vote with Democrats in organizing the Senate, but made it clear he voted for Ike in 1952 and would do so again.

He is a major threat to the Texas GOP's official endorsee, Thad Hutcheson, a young Houston attorney. Hutcheson promised "no token fight."

James P. Hart, former Supreme Court justice and University of Texas chancellor, also has announced.

Congressman-at-Large Martin Dies indicated early in the summer that he would run.

"Names in speculation" include just about every other Texan in or formerly in public life—Ralph Yarborough, J. Evetts Haley, Lloyd Bentsen Jr., John Ben Shepherd, John C. White, Wright Morrow, etc.

Not all will run, of course, but such a rare political opportunity is sure to draw a crowded field. Filing fee is only \$50. High man wins without a run-off.

In the last such election, held in 1941, a total of 29 candidates ran. W. Lee O'Daniel emerged as victor with a blade-thin lead over Lyndon B. Johnson.

Democrats will make a real fight to regain Texas in the November election, says U. S. Senator Lyndon Johnson.

He has invited both nominees to speak in Texas this fall. Vice Presidential Candidate Kefauver was specifically urged to attend the Heart of Texas Fair in Waco, to be held September 29-October 5.

For millions of Texans the political clamor is almost drowned out this week by the ringing of school bells.

As usual, a "biggest ever" public school enrollment is expected. Texas Education Agency estimates enrollment at 1,734,833 compared to 1,740,784 last year.

No official reports or estimates were available on how many addi-

tional schools will be integrated this year. TEA officials, always carefully aloof on the subject, said they had "heard of only a few." Only known trouble spot was Mansfield (Tarrant County) where white citizens patrolled the school to prevent registration of negroes.

A more common problem is the shortage of teachers. Some 6,000 additional teachers are needed, says the Texas State Teachers Association.

Despite a summer slump and farm troubles, forecasters expect Texas' total business volume to set another record in 1956.

According to the University of Texas Bureau of Business Research, business activity declined two per cent in July. But the index was still two per cent above July of 1955.

"Plight of the drought-stricken Texas farmer continues to be the most serious aspect of the state's business situation," said the report. "Farmers not only face falling prices, but have very little to sell."

Texas farm prices have fallen 36 per cent since 1951, livestock prices 48 per cent in the same period.

Proposals to streamline Texas' mental health code are being drafted by the University of Texas Law School.

Financed by the Hogg Foundation, the project is being conducted with the guidance of the Board for State Hospitals and Special Schools.

Suggested changes would (1) Encourage earlier care for mental cases to speed recoveries and reduce expense to the state; and (2) modernize administrative procedures for the state hospital system.

Texas needs a department of justice to bolster local enforcement of state criminal laws.

State Auditor C. H. Cavness made this suggestion last week in a report on the Department of Public Safety. He pointed out that legislative investigators and urged such a move three years ago.

Cavness also noted that, while the DPS funds and staff have grown, they have not kept pace with needs and responsibilities.

A federal grand jury investigation of the bankrupt U. S. Trust & Guaranty Company is scheduled for September 24.

Federal officials would have the power to prosecute if they found the company had violated U. S. postal regulations or securities laws.

U. S. District Attorney Malcolm R. Wilkey of Houston declined to say what course the inquiry might take.

Short Shorts—Withdrawal of Senator A. M. Aikin Jr. from the lieutenant governor's race for health reasons caused only minor delays in second primary preparations. Most counties reported they had printed only a few ballots for absentee voters. In urban counties voting machines were changed with little difficulty. . . . State Health Department

officials last week warned gardeners against use of some of the newer "organic phosphate" insecticides. Such sprays are safe only in the hands of professionals who use protective clothing, goggles and respirators, said the department. . . . Texas Department of Public Safety polygraph (lie detector) examiner Dee Wheeler has been named one of the outstanding authorities in his field in the country. Wheeler was cited in the book, "From Evidence to Proof," by Michigan Professor Marshall Houts, former FBI man, lawyer and judge. . . . William L. McGill, state civil defense director, has been in M. D. Anderson Hospital in Houston for "examination and observation." McGill is nationally known for his work in civil defense.

The only Longhorn cattle left in Texas are in the zoo at San Antonio.

Hundreds at Formal Opening of H. & M.

Visitors by the hundreds attended the formal opening last week-end of the H. & M. Tire and Appliance Store, according to Joe Hudspeeth, partner and proprietor of the new Hamlin business establishment.

Winners of the door prizes included: Carol Miller of Peacock, range; Travis Gene Boatright of Hamlin, vacuum cleaner; Mrs. Eddie B. Hopper of Hamlin, electric coffee maker; Mrs. Lee Hastings of Hamlin, electric automatic iron; and Mrs. G. L. Masser of Route 2, Hamlin, electric mixer.

LABOR DAY VISITORS.

Mr. and Mrs. Edell Perryman and daughter of Irving were Labor Day visitors of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Perryman, and other relatives in the Hamlin area.

Cotton Quiz

WHY ARE COTTON HANDKERCHIEFS MADE SQUARE?



WHEN MARIE ANTOINETTE COMPLAINED ABOUT THE MANY SHAPES OF HANDKERCHIEFS IN 18th CENTURY FRANCE, LOUIS XVI DECREED: "THE LENGTH OF THE HANDKERCHIEF SHALL EQUAL ITS WIDTH THROUGHOUT THE KINGDOM."

Crowds of Region to Hear LeTourneau

R. G. LeTourneau, well known church layman and industrialist of Longview, will be featured this (Thursday) evening in an address at the First Baptist Church at Stamford.

LeTourneau's appearance is being sponsored by the Jones County Baptist Brotherhood, but the public is invited. Numbers of Hamlin area people are scheduled to attend.

Supper will be served beginning at 6:30 for the caterer's charge of \$1 per plate, it is announced. No charge, of course, is made to hear the speaker at 8:00 o'clock.

VISIT FROM DENTON.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Miller of Denton visited with her sister, E. L. Jenkins Sr., and husband last week.

Dr. Pattillo to Attend Chiropractor Confab

Dr. William A. Pattillo, Hamlin chiropractor and secretary of the district group, will be among the more than 100 chiropractic leaders from all parts of the state who will gather in Austin Saturday for the second annual district officers' conference of the Texas Chiropractic Association.

Purpose of the conference is to orientate officers of the 12 association district (who were recently elected to office) in Texas with the aims, objectives and accomplishments of the association and to promote a closer unity between practitioner and the state organization through district organizations.

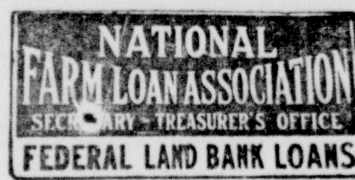
Robert E. Lee was once stationed at Fort Clark, Brackettville, Texas.

WIN'S DIAMOND RING.

Mrs. W. R. Beene of Hamlin was winner of the diamond ring that was given away by the Knobel Jewelers during the recent special jewelry sale. Gene Knobel, proprietor of the store, announces.

Great joy, especially after a sudden change of circumstances, is apt to be silent, and dwells rather in the heart than on the tongue.—Henry Fielding.

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Cut Green Beans	1-Lb. Can	2	No. 303 Cans	35¢
Coldbrook Margarine	2 1-Lb. Boxes	2		37¢
Snowdrift Shortening	3 1-Lb. Cans	3		85¢
Kitchen Craft Flour	10 1-Lb. Bags	10		80¢
Lucerne Milk	Homogenized 1/2-Gal. Can	4		49¢
Crackers	Graham, Pirate's Gold, Free Lollipop	1-Lb. Box		35¢
Peanut Butter	Smooth, Creamy or Chunky	3 12-Oz. Jars		98¢
Salad Dressing	Catawba	12-Oz. Jar		45¢
Sandwich Spread	French Dressing	12-Oz. Jar		66¢
Cookies	Jane Arden, Sandwhich, Vanilla, Chocolate, or Assorted	11 1/2-Oz. Bag		37¢

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Fresh Corn	On Cob	3 Ears	25¢
Green Beans	Kentucky Wonder Farm-fresh	Lb.	15¢
Potatoes	Economy Bag Energy Food	10 1-Lb. Bags	59¢
Yellow Onions	Chef's Pride	2 Lbs.	15¢

Safeway's Dried Fruits			
Large Prunes	Bonetta	1-Lb. Plastic Bag	40¢
Seedless Raisins	Vine	1-Lb. Great Plastic Bag	23¢
Large Peaches	Glenview	12-Oz. Plastic Bag	39¢

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Frosting Mix	Pillsbury Creamy Fudge	12-Oz. Box	35¢
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Powdered Milk	Lac-Mix 25-4/10-Oz. Inst. 8 Qtz.	1-Lb. Can	63¢
Zippy Pickles	Whole, Sour or Dill	22-Oz. Jar	27¢
French Mustard	Tangy Flavor	9-Oz. Jar	17¢
Sea Trader Tuna	Light Meat	No. 1/2 Can	27¢
Sno White Salt	Iodized or Free Running	26-Oz. Box	11¢
Black Pepper	Crown Colony	1/2-Oz. Can	15¢
White Bread	Skylark Sandwich Sliced Loaf	1 1/2-Lb. Loaf	24¢
Skylark Raisin Bread		1-Lb. Loaf	25¢

Safeway Meats

Poppy Sliced Bacon	1-Lb. Cello	49
Canned Picnic	Ready to eat	4 1/2 -Lb. Can \$2
Skinless Frankfurters		3 -Lb. Pkg. 89
Economy Ground Beef		4 -Lb. Pkg. \$1
Round Steak	Or Swiss Steak Bone-in — U.S. Choice — Heavy Steaks	79¢ Lb.
Chuck Roast	U.S. Govt. Graded Calf	29¢ Lb.
Sirloin Steak	U.S. Govt. Graded Calf	59¢ Lb.
Jumbo Bologna	Sliced	39¢ 16-Oz. Pkg.
Fresh Eggs	Breakfast Farms Grade A, Large	61¢ Doz.
Pinto Beans	Southern Hominy	19¢ 2 -Lb. Bag
Pancake Mix	Pillsbury	20¢ 1-Lb. Box
More Good Buys!		
Cake Mix	Pillsbury Assorted	31 17-Oz. Box
Mixed Cookies	Melrose	38 1-Lb. Box
Parade Detergent		29 Large Box
Parade Detergent		57 Giant Box
Dog Food Meal	Gaines	69 5-Lb. Box

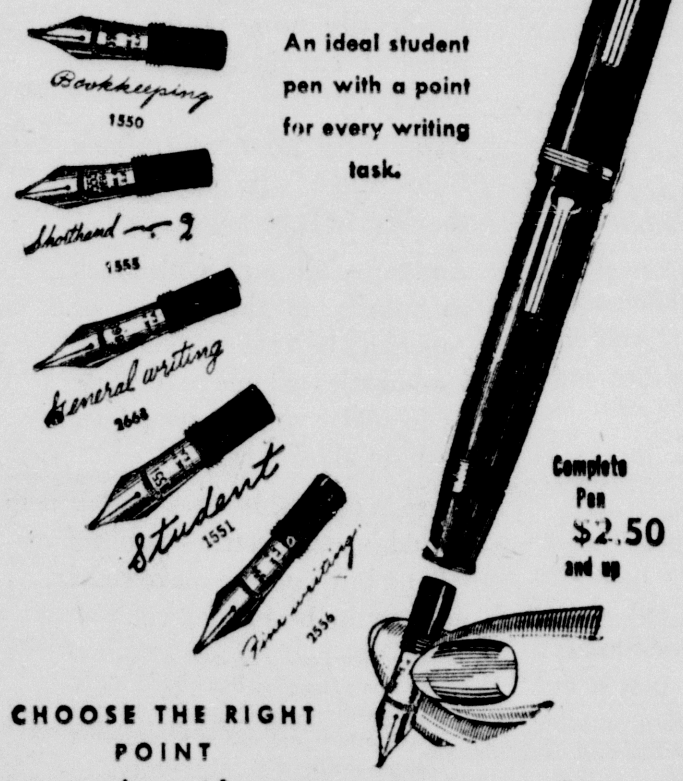
More Good Buys!

Cake Mix	Pillsbury Assorted	17-Oz. Box	31¢
Mixed Cookies	Melrose	1-Lb. Box	38¢
Parade Detergent		Large Box	29¢
Parade Detergent		Giant Box	57¢
Dog Food Meal	Gaines	5 1-Lb. Box	69¢

Starkist Tuna	White Label	No. 1/2 Can	38¢
Starkist Tuna	Chunk Style	No. 1/2 Can	29¢
Sweetheart Toilet Soap		2 Bars	17¢
Blue White Bluing Flakes		3/4-Oz. Box	10¢
Faultless Starch		12-Oz. Box	13¢
		36-Oz. Box	39¢
Kleenex Tissue	White, Pink or Yellow	400 Count Box	27¢

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The Herald's Page of Sports



Pied Pipers Open 1956 Grid Season at Roby Friday Night

Coach Nix Says His Gridsters in Good Condition

Faunting at the bits and determined to start the 1956 football season with a victory over the Class A Roby High School Lions, the Hamlin High School Pied Pipers will raise the curtain on the grid scene Friday night on the Roby gridiron. Game time is 8:00 o'clock.

Indicative of a mounting interest in the Pipers this year, one of the biggest delegations of boosters ever to follow the team is expected to make the caravan to the Fisher County capital. Heading up the group of cars making the trip will be leaders of the Hamlin Pied Piper Booster Club. President Bobby Crowley says the organization urges backers to meet at the high school at 6:30, where the cars will be decorated with streamers, then will leave in a group for the caravan.

Head Coach Truman Nix says his Pipers are in good physical

Work-Outs Begun at McCauley for Good Six-Man Grid Season

Work-outs of the grid crew at McCauley High School began this week under the direction of T. E. Green, superintendent, when about 15 boys reported for activity. The coach told a Herald reporter Tuesday that prospects for a hustling team of six-man footballers are good.

Improvements at the football field during the summer have provided the Eagles a gridiron that will see a lot of action.

First game so far arranged for the McCauley crew is Thursday night, September 20, at Peacock, Green announces.

Harvey Lawlis, David Hennington, David Milner and Jimmy Kelly are the returning seniors who are the nucleus for this year's McCauley squad. Others bidding for spots on the team are Melvin Green, Sammy Rackley, Jerry Jeffries, Jerry McCright, Danny Maberry, Richard Barnes, Gene Tabb and Jarrell Davis.

condition for the season opener. He declares his group will finish higher than the cellar position of last year.

Seven regulars are back on the squad from last year. The returnees are all-district guard Dee Prewit; Lane Fletcher, end; Murl Don Smith, center; Doug Ford, halfback; Jerry Jay, end; Davey Weaver, guard; and Don Drummond, tackle.

Eight other lettermen will bolster the Pied Piper strength.

Probable starting line-up of the Pied Pipers in Friday night's tilt was released by Coach Nix as including:

Jerry Jay.....	Left end
Charles Jenkins.....	Left Tackle
Davey Weaver.....	Left guard
Murl Don Smith.....	Center
Dee Prewit.....	Right guard
Don Pyron.....	Right tackle
Lane Fletcher.....	Right end
Don Adair.....	Quarterback
Virgil Wilson.....	Right halfback
Doug Ford.....	Left halfback
Herbert Lahey.....	Fullback

All District 4-AA Teams Play First Encounters Friday

Football in District 4-AA gets rolling this week-end as interest in this Central West Texas region reaches fever heat after a summer that has also seen some rises in temperature.

As previously declared, concern has reached a climax not attained in several years at Hamlin, and the best football record of four or five years is expected to be hung up by the Pied Pipers.

Head Football Coach Truman Nix declares his boys are in good shape after a strenuous week-long full time training camp last week for more than three dozen gridriders brought out some outstanding talent.

Hamlin High School has a 10-game football menu beginning Friday night at Roby and winding up November 9 at Anson.

Noticeably missing from the Pied Piper schedule this year is the annual game against the Haskell High School Indians. Haskell is on probation following infraction of Interscholastic League rules last year. The Indians have been added to the District 4-AA loop along with Seymour, but will not see action until next year. In the four-team league this year will be Anson, Hamlin, Stamford and Seymour.

Games scheduled for this week-end, all of which are non-conference tilts, of course, are: Anson at Coleman, Hamlin at Roby, Crowell at Seymour and Stamford at Quanah.

Good Response to Booster Club Plan for Caravan Reported

Promise of good response to the Hamlin Pied Piper Booster Club's plan for an organized caravan of fans to go to the opening football game of the Hamlin High School season Friday night has been good, declares Bobby Crowley,



THIS TOUGH LOOKING FOURSOME, constituting a charging backfield of the Hamlin High School Pied Pipers, will see their first game action Friday night when the local gridriders journey to Roby for an encounter with their perennial foes, the Roby High School Lions. Reading from left to right they are: Fullback Herbert Lahey, Halfback John Richey, Halfback Doug Ford and Quarterback Don Adair. (Photo courtesy The Abilene Reporter-News).

Major Hunting Regulations for Texas Summarized in Commission Release

Nimrods of the Hamlin section have joined others of the state, and many from out-of-state, in participating in game hunting, with the opening of dove season in this region on September 1.

Major fall hunting regulations summarized by the Texas Game and Fish Commission for ready reference follow:

Mourning Doves—North zone, September 1 to October 17; South zone, October 12 to November 28; noon to sunset; 10 doves per day or in possession.

Waterfowl—Ducks, November 2 to January 15; geese, November 2 to December 21; one-half hour before sunrise to sunset; five ducks per day, 10 in possession; five geese per day or in possession, both in the aggregate.

Deer—Under general law, November 16 to December 31; west of Pecos, December 8 to December 13; Panhandle, November 17 to 26. Several special local seasons in groups of counties or individual counties. Limit ranges from two buck deer under general state law to one buck deer and one antlerless deer under special local or regional regulations.

Turkey—November 16 to December 31 under general law; in Panhandle, November 17 to 26; limit three gobblers in Panhandle, two gobblers in Panhandle. Special dates and limits prevail in many counties.

Quail—December 1 to January 16 under general law; west of Pecos, December 1 to December 31; Panhandle dates same as general laws; season on Mearns quail closed west of Pecos; limit under general law, 12 per day and not more than 36 in one week or in

possession; Panhandle, 10 per day or 10 in possession. Special regulations in several areas and individual counties.

Antelope—West of Pecos, two three-day periods, October 1-3 and October 5-7; Panhandle, three three-day periods, October 11-13, October 14-16 and October 17-19. Limit one buck or one doe antelope in West of Pecos; one buck antelope in Panhandle. Special permit required.

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Bell's Hole-in-One Highlights Tourney

B. O. Bell, president of the Lakeview Golf Club but an admitted mediocre golfer, emerged as the star of the Labor Day tournament staged by the club when he scored a hole-in-one during play Monday afternoon.

This was the second hole-in-one made at the course, the feat having previously been done by Mrs. Joe League four years ago.

Bell's loopier was attested to by Joe League, Jim Howard King and Harry Carmichael of Anson, who were playing in the foursome with Bell.

Responsibility of Fans Discussed by Steiner

"Responsibility of Fans" was the topic of discussion when Gus Steiner, president of the Central West Texas Football Officials Association of Abilene spoke at the first regular meeting Tuesday evening of the Hamlin Pied Piper Booster Club.

Steiner declared that the right attitude by the fans in the stands toward an athletic contest is vital to the game's purpose and enjoyment. He urged his hearers to help in maintaining a wholesome, sportsmanlike spirit at football games this season.

Labor Day Golf Tournament Won By Chuck Abbott

Charlie (Chuck) Abbott emerged as the winner of the three-day 72-hole Labor Day golf tournament staged by the Lakeview Golf Club at the end of festivities Monday on the greens, then went on to score plenty high at the feast that followed.

Chuck nosed out Earl Smith in the championship flight, after Smith had posted a five-over-par 77 in the first 18 holes to become medalist for the play. Abbott's score for the 72 holes was 316, while Smith turned in a 321.

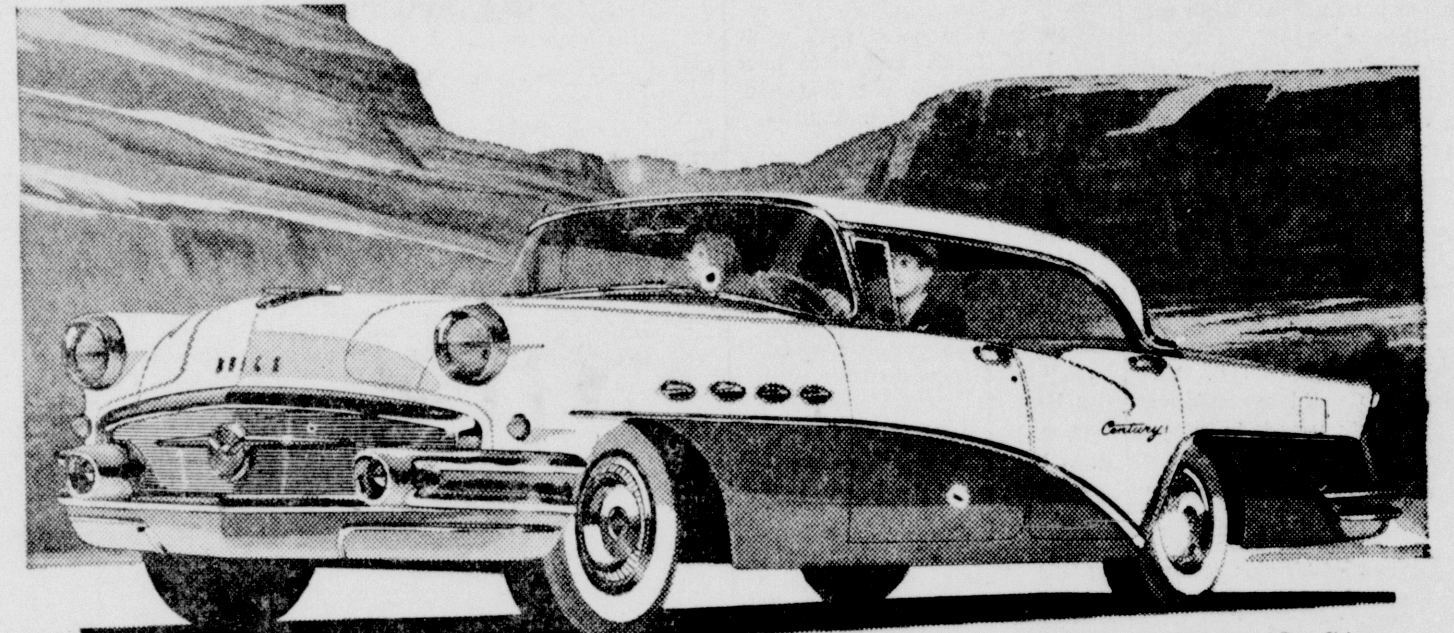
Thirty-two area golfers participated in the invitational tournament, which evinced the best interest shown in golfing at Hamlin for several years, declares B. O. Bell, president of the golf club.

Four flights of golfers were grouped in the three days of play that began Saturday and concluded Monday afternoon on a course that was in fair shape despite the severe drought that has plagued the golf patch along with farm and ranch lands of the area.

Charles Connally, turning in a 345, took high honors in the first flight, followed by Joe Ford with a 349. Floyd Briscoe won the second flight with a 350, and he was pushed by Bill Harbert who scored a 356. In the third flight Jerry Rawlis was top man with a 397, followed by George Poe, who turned in a 398.

Following the tournament a larger group showed interest in golfing and related things when they turned out for a chicken dinner served at the country club by wives of the club members.

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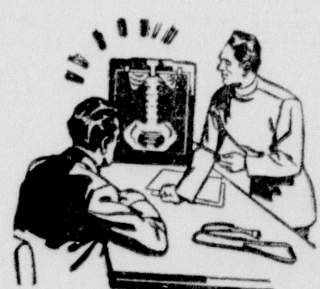
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Fitting Driving Pattern to Highway Vital in Safe Driving, Says McFadden

Remember the old maxim, "Cut your pattern to your cloth?" E. C. McFadden of Dallas, president of the Texas Safety Association, gave it a new twist this week when he advised motorists of the Hamlin area to fit their driving to the traffic pattern.

He offered this advice in a release to The Herald in the interest of the share-the-road program sponsored by Texas Safety Association and the Department of Public Safety and the National Safety Council. This program is being conducted in cooperation with the slow-down-and-live program of the National Conference of State Safety Coordinators.

"Many of us do a good deal of driving during the summer months," he said. "Sometimes we have to change from quiet rural roads to super-highways to congested city streets—all in the same trip, and at such times our safety depends on how quickly we can adapt to changing traffic conditions."

"Getting into step with the new traffic pattern immediately is of prime importance," he said. This calls for great adaptability and driving skill.

"The driver who is skillful and versatile develops what might be called a 'sixth sense,'" McFadden said. "He gets the 'feel' of the new traffic pattern immediately and he adapts his own pace to it without delay."

"Once he has fitted his own car into this pattern he avoids doing anything that will endanger his own safety or the safety of the drivers around him," he said. "He takes only his own share of the road, and in the proper place. He drives at a safe distance from the car ahead. He keeps in his proper lane, passing only when he has ample time and space. He signals all turns and lane changes."

The wise driver sees himself in true relation to the whole traffic picture," McFadden said. "He adapts his driving to the driving of the others around him. Courteously and realistically, he shares the road with them."



TOLD TO LEAVE—Assistant District Attorney Grady Hight of Tarrant County (second from left in coat) was told to leave the Mansfield High School grounds by an angry group after an argument over negro students wanting to register at the school. Hight is talking to a reporter as he leaves the grounds.

Donald Wellman Speaks at Lions Meeting Tuesday

"Investments" was the topic of a message delivered at the Tuesday noon luncheon meeting of the Hamlin Lions Club by Rev. Donald Wellman, pastor of the Hamlin Church of the Nazarene, at the oil mill guest house.

The speaker urged his hearers to investigate the reasonableness, truth and lack of contradiction of the Bible before investing their lives in a way of living. He discussed the origin of man, source of power, source of human problems of sin, the cure for the illness of sin, and the life of a Christian in living Christ-like.

Vice President Fred Smith was in the chair in the absence of President Edgar Duncan. Plans for the ladies' night on Tuesday, September 18, are going forward, Smith announced. District Governor Lester Brooks of Iowa Park will be the guest of honor at the affair, to be staged at the Primary School cafeteria.

Besides Wellman, other guests at the Tuesday luncheon included H. E. Strickland of Abilene, County Agent Bill Lehmberg, Joe Breed and Harry Carmichael of Anson, Rev. Henry Adair and Frank Bayouth. Bayouth has applied for membership in the club.

Fred Smith Named Lions Vice President

At a called meeting of the board of directors of the Hamlin Lions Club last week Fred Smith was named first vice president of the civic group to succeed Jess Parrish, who has recently moved to Abilene, according to President Edgar Duncan.

Jim Howard King was named second vice president.

New Zealand was discovered in 1642 by Abel Tasman, a Dutch navigator.

Wesley Minton to Rice

Wesley Minton, son of Mr. and Mrs. Lester Minton of Hamlin, is due to leave this week-end for Houston, where he will enter Rice Institute. Young Minton, who lettered four years in football at Rotan High School, will try out for the freshman squad at Rice.

HOLDING RAINFALL

It's not the rain you get, but the rain you keep that counts, says G. O. Hoffman, Texas Agricultural Extension Service range specialist. Make provisions now to hold rainfall, he advises.

Freight Carloadings On Santa Fe Increase

Santa Fe Railway System freight carloadings for the week ending August 25, 1956, were 24,961 compared with 23,427 for the same week in 1955, showing a nice gain over the year-ago total. Cars received from connections totaled 12,928 compared with 12,036 for the same week in 1955.

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Pep Squad Practices For Opening of Grid Season Friday Night

Opening football game of the season Friday night at Roby will see the Hamlin High School Pep Squad in action, according to the sponsor, Dora D. Mitchell.

The Pep squad group, under the baton of Drum Majorette Judy Harden and Majorettes Eva Wallace and Benita Smith, have been practicing marching with the Pled Piper Band this week in preparation for the game with Roby Friday night.

Head Cheer Leader Mary Jo Hubbard and Cheer Leaders Linda Carlton and Mittie Ray have been practicing leading cheers.

Some of the 55 Pep Squad girls will assist in decorating cars for the caravan Friday night, according to the sponsor.

States' Rights Often Lost by Selling To Federal Government Says Burleson

"Bringing the government back to the people" has been a topic of considerable discussion recently, points out Congressman Omar Burleson in his Weekly column.

"Washington: As it Looks From Here," and he continues:

In a number of cases at different intervals of the last 20 years the U. S. Supreme Court has

directly and indirectly ruled that the federal government has the power to control that to which it contributes.

If this philosophy were strictly enforced, there would be fewer states' rights left than have already been usurped by Washington. We hear much about states' rights, and most people are all for it. However, many of us as individuals and as communities, are willing to sell off a little bit of these "rights" in return for federal money. It is something like selling royalty interest under

land. When we sell a part of oil and gas royalty under our land, it is gone forever unless we buy it back, and that is seldom done.

There are those who really believe that most all our government should come directly from Washington. Considerable amount of the federal government which we today find in our lives and in our business has been bought with the states' right we relinquished. It works both ways—there is a buyer and a seller.

Recently there was a bill passed in the House of Representatives more or less erroneously entitled a "Water pollution bill." Research and study are greatly needed to find the answer to cleaning up many polluted streams in order to safeguard a clean water supply for human consumption and to protect wildlife. The bill, however, carried the well known "grant-in-aid" provision, which would permit towns and cities to receive directly from the federal government money for their sewer systems.

Now, no one could imagine that the federal government would want to control the sewer system of any town or city, but probably they could if it came to a court test.

There is pending in the Congress a bill known as HR 3, introduced by Congressman Howard Smith of Virginia. It is an effort to redefine the basic concept and the historic doctrine of states' rights. The essence of the measure provides that in the absence of a congressional declaration depriving states of passing laws on a particular subject, and in the absence of any conflict between the state and federal laws, the states will be presumed to retain the right to enact and enforce similar laws.

The Smith bill is a highly important piece of legislation. It should be passed before the end of this session of the Congress to guarantee states their proper legislative power.

If HR 3 becomes law, and we as citizens look less to Washington for governmental help of some kind, states' rights will be more secure.

This is really the way to bring government back to the people.

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Unexpected Events Play Major Role in Economic Conditions, Writes Babson

Unexpected events is the theme of discussion of this week's article for The Herald by Roger W. Babson, outstanding economist and analyst, who is a regular contributor to these columns. He declares:

I have just finished reading the Guide to National Economics by Burton Crane entitled "Getting and Spending." It contains valuable statistics and notes. His conclusion is that if we will build up foreign markets "to keep the world safe," prosperity should continue, with an occasional dip now and then, for an indefinite period. He does not, however, mention "unexpected events." The very next day after I read this book there occurred the great Wanamaker fire in New York City, which crippled its subway system. The following day Ringling Brothers announced the suspension at Pittsburgh, in the middle of its season, of "The Greatest Show on Earth."

Certainly these were unexpected events, although perhaps not great enough to disturb stock markets. However, these events made me interested in studying anew the action of the stock market for the past 100 years. This is what I learned:

Business was prosperous during the Civil War and started to boom directly afterward. The sudden death of President Lincoln, however, caused stocks to tumble and a year of depression followed.

Again business began to boom until 1869 saw the famous "Black Friday" come very suddenly due to the corner on the gold market.

Stocks quickly rebounded, and again investors were looking forward to several years of prosperity when, in late 1871, the Chicago fire occurred. This was followed by the great Boston fire in November, 1872. These caused another panic.

The market had just about recovered when the failure of the great banking house of Jay Cooke & Company was suddenly announced. Then, for the first time, the leading stock exchanges closed for several weeks. This unexpected failure brought on the great depression beginning in 1873 and extending for some years.

Suddenly, on July 2, 1881, President Garfield was shot. This started a chain reaction of selling.

During this second period, the great banking house of Grant Ward, plus the two leading "bulls," namely Henry Villard and James R. Keene, announced their failures. Depression, as usual, followed these unexpected events. Business began to correct itself in a few years, however.

Then 1892 was recorded as a year of great prosperity, when suddenly the failure of the National Cordage Company was announced in May, 1893. This was one of the 10 largest corporations and its stock would today be included in the "blue chip" group.

The following year the great Pullman strike occurred. This was the first serious strike, and it

east great fear and gloom over the country. This was accompanied by a series of crop failures and mortgage foreclosures.

Again in 1897 business steadily improved and permanent prosperity was prophesied, accompanied by stock splits, mergers and large security offerings. Suddenly, in 1903, there came another panic due to the still more unexpected cause of "undigested securities." This panic resulted in the investigation of large life insurance and

traction companies which were then very popular. The final crash came with the San Francisco earthquake which dragged prices way down.

Up to this time the national government had been friendly to business, with no commissions or other retarding factors. The Supreme Court had been content to decide questions between the states. Suddenly in the early 1900s it issued a decision forbidding the consolidation of the Great Northern Railroad and the Northern Pacific Railroad. This came out of a clear sky and took the zip out of the stock market until the first World War broke. After the closing of the New

York Stock Exchange for more than four months, there followed some years of prosperity, then a series of surprise business failures, along with the sinking of the SS Lusitania and our entrance into World War I. All went well until 1920, when stock market prices, due to very high interest rates, had another collapse. This was quickly corrected and the stock market continued to advance until it reached an all-time high in 1929. The unexpected event of this time were the business collapse in Europe with the continued withdrawal of gold, climaxed by the very sudden failure of the Austrian Credit-Anstalt with startling repercussions thru-

out the world. Then followed several years of depression, with which readers are well acquainted. The stock market for four years had a partial rebound up to 1937.

Beginning in 1938 there was a definite recovery in business throughout World War II, but this did not help the stock market much until 1942. With the exception of the severe short readjustment in 1945 and the 1952 steel strike, our country has enjoyed prosperity for about 19 years, with full employment. This has been due to the growth of the installment business, price and wage increases and guarantees, generous pensions, and the easy

terms for building and purchasing homes.

I agree with Burton Crane that there is nothing now in sight to cause a collapse; but some "unexpected event" may prick the bubble as it has done so many times before.

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LIGHT GRAZING PAYS.

Moderate grazing of land in the Great Plains region is more profitable in the long run than either too heavy or too light grazing. Twenty years of research at the U. S. Livestock Experiment Station in Montana has furnished the proof, says A. H. Walker, extension range specialist.

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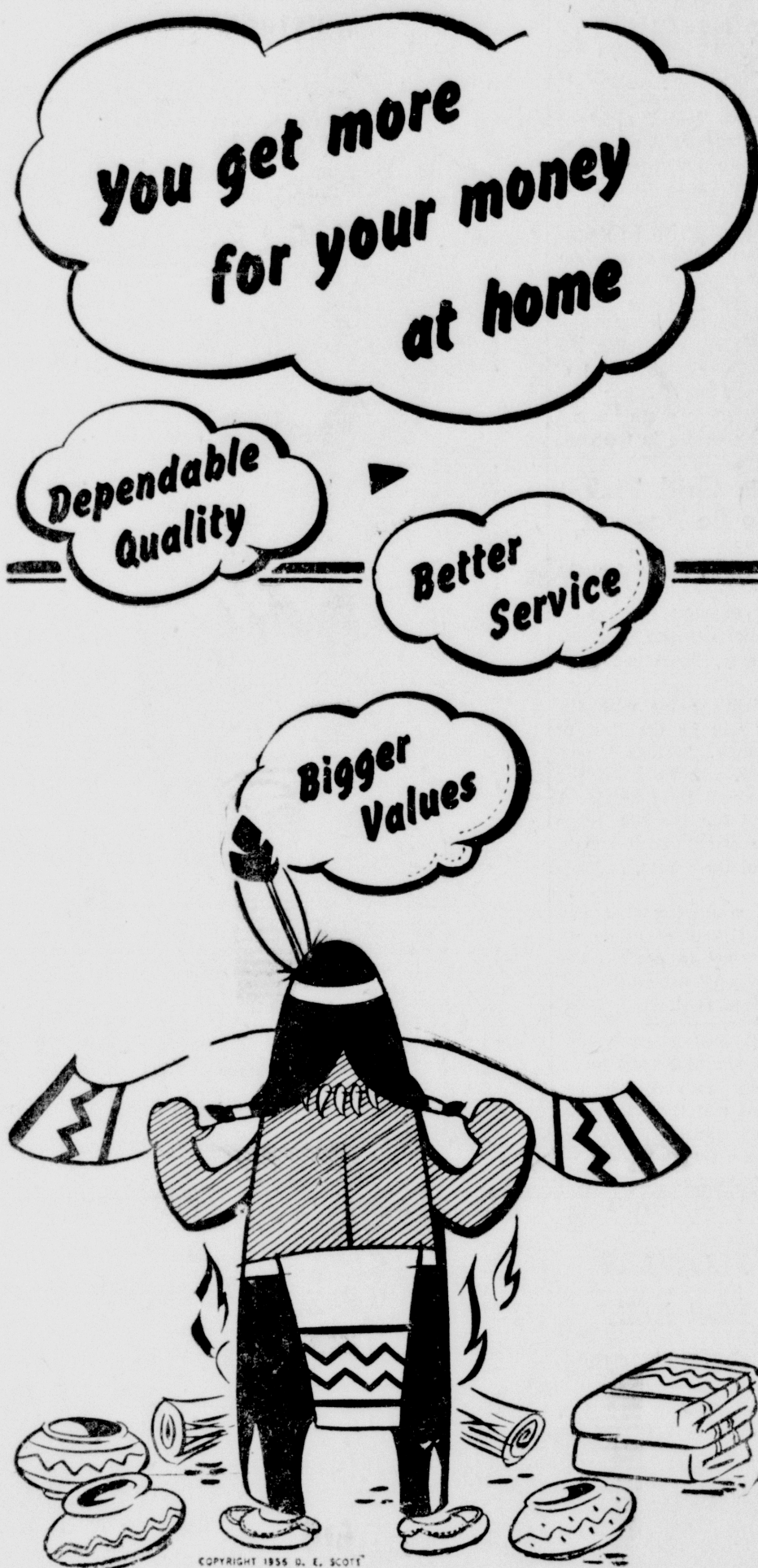
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Cinemascope—In Color
Three Years in the Making!

Saturday, Sept. 8—

ARTHUR KENNEDY and BETTA ST. JOHN

"THE NAKED DAWN"

Plus
"PRIVATE HELL 36"

with
IDA LUPINO and STEVE COCHRAN

Sunday, Monday and Tuesday, Sept. 9-10-11—

JEFF CHANDLER and LAURINE DAY

"TOY TIGER"

with
TIM HARVEY
Warm-Hearted Comedy in Technicolor!

WHITE AUTO STORE

B. O. Bell, Owner

R. B. SPENCER & CO.

Quality Building Materials

BAILEY'S Department Store

"Where Quality Reigns"

Carl Murrell Chevrolet Co.

Chevrolet Sales and Service

HOWARD'S FOOD MARKET

All Your Foods at One Stop

WesternAutoAssociate Store

Claude Lancaster, Owner

FRANK'S Department Store

"The Best for Less"

Malouf's Department Store

Hamlin's Finest Department Store

ROCKWELL BROS. & CO.

Builders' Supply Headquarters

Turner-Hunter Ins. Agency

Insure and Be Sure!

PAUL BRYAN LUMBER CO.

Everything to Build Anything

J. E. PATTERSON Insurance

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"Where Home Begins"

THE HAMLIN HERALD

"Your Home Town Printers, Office Suppliers"

HOWARD CITY DRUG

The Friendly Store on the Corner

Wade Butane & Farm Machy

Your Masey-Harris Dealer

STYLE CLEANERS

Quality Work—Prompt Service

LONG'S AUTO SERVICE

On McCaulley Highway

F. B. Moore Grain Company

New Way and Big M Feeds

HAMLIN PAINT AND BODY

On Stamford Highway

WITT JEWELRY STORE

Gifts and Jewelry

SIMPSON'S FINE FOODS

Joe A. Simpson, Owner

KINCAID Gas & Appliance

Butane Gas and Appliances

HAMLIN AUTO PARTS

Replacement Parts and Accessories

THE CITY CAFE

Mrs. L. G. Server, Owner

Mar-Ket Poultry & Egg Co.

Feeds, Seeds and Grain Dealer

Hamlin Machine & Welding

Block East of Safeway

PREWITT MOTORS

Chrysler-Plymouth Sales and Service